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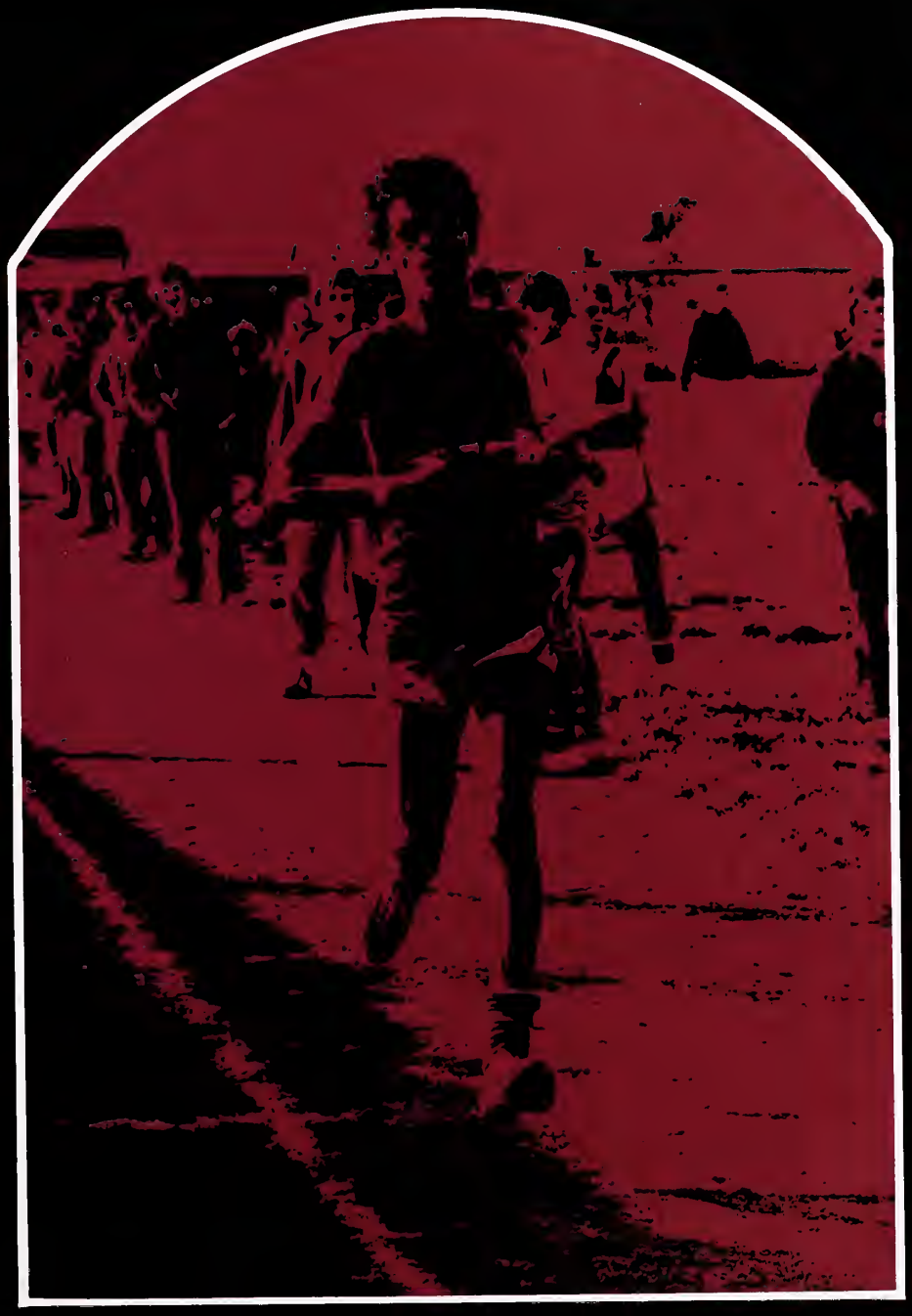

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SOLITUDE

Look back on all those good times and remember your friends, the games, the dances, the parties . . . but mainly just look back on your own.

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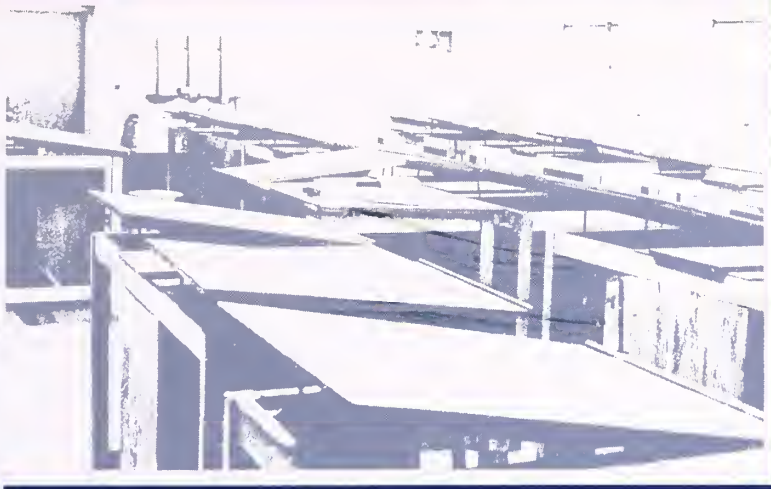

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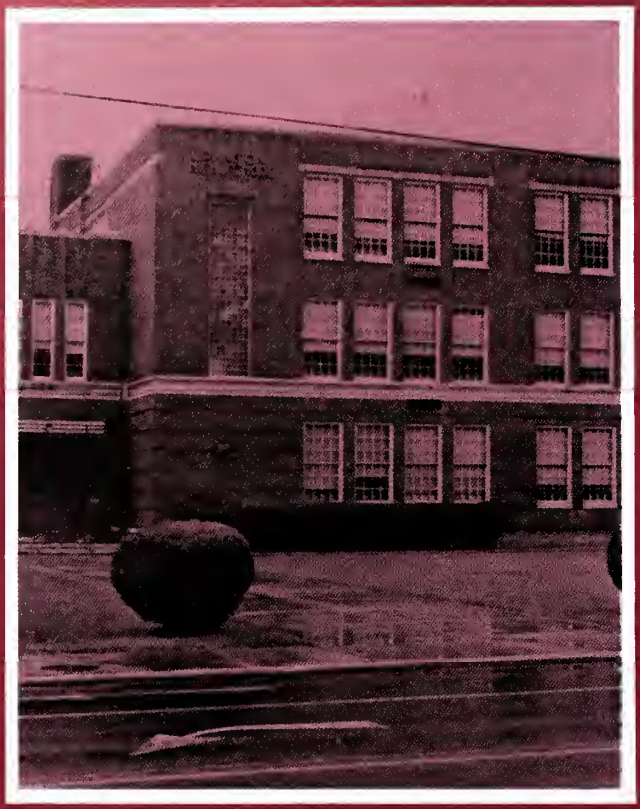
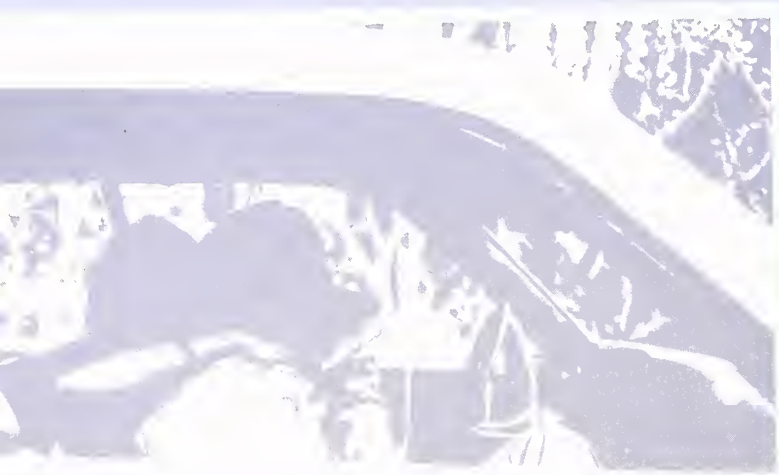


I have walked out in the rain— and back in the rain.



I have outwalked the furthest city light.

I have passed by the watchman on his beat . . .

And dropped my eyes, unwilling to explain.

I have stood still and stopped the sound of feet.

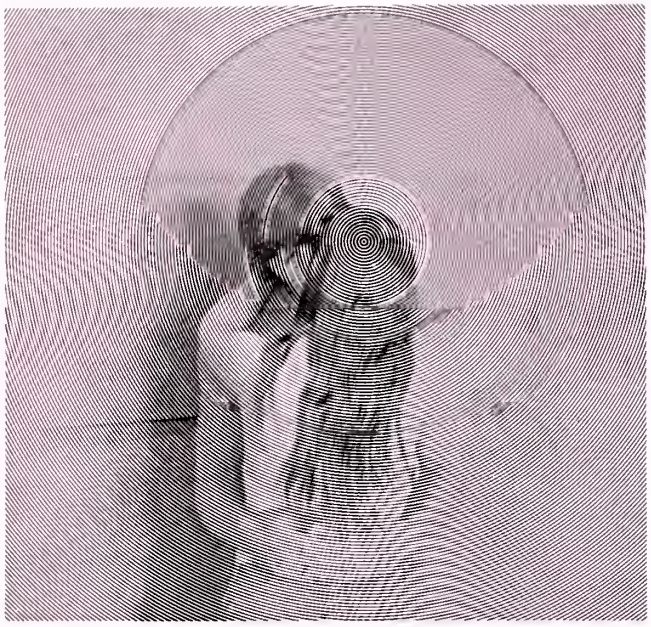
When far away an interrupted cry

Came over houses from another street

But not to
call me back
or say good-bye;

And further still at an unearthly height

One luminary clock against the sky



Proclaimed the time was neither wrong nor right.

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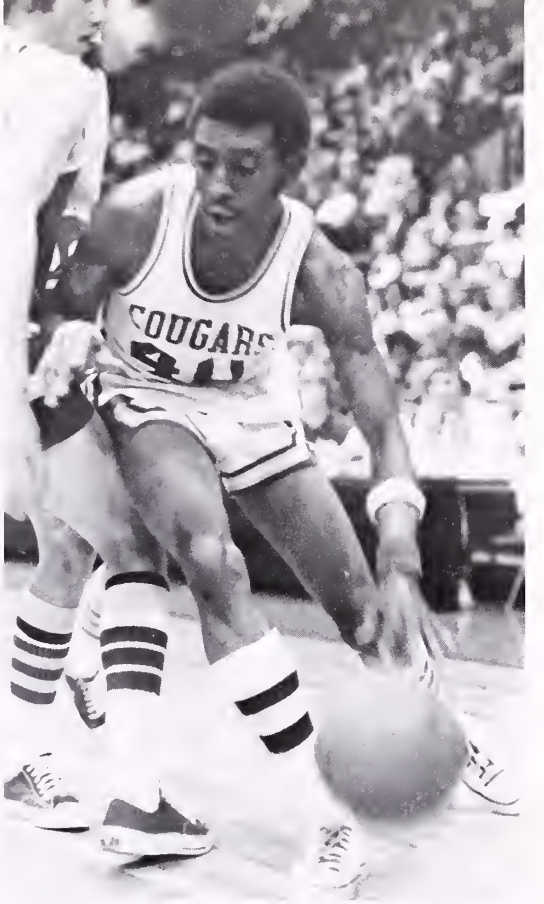

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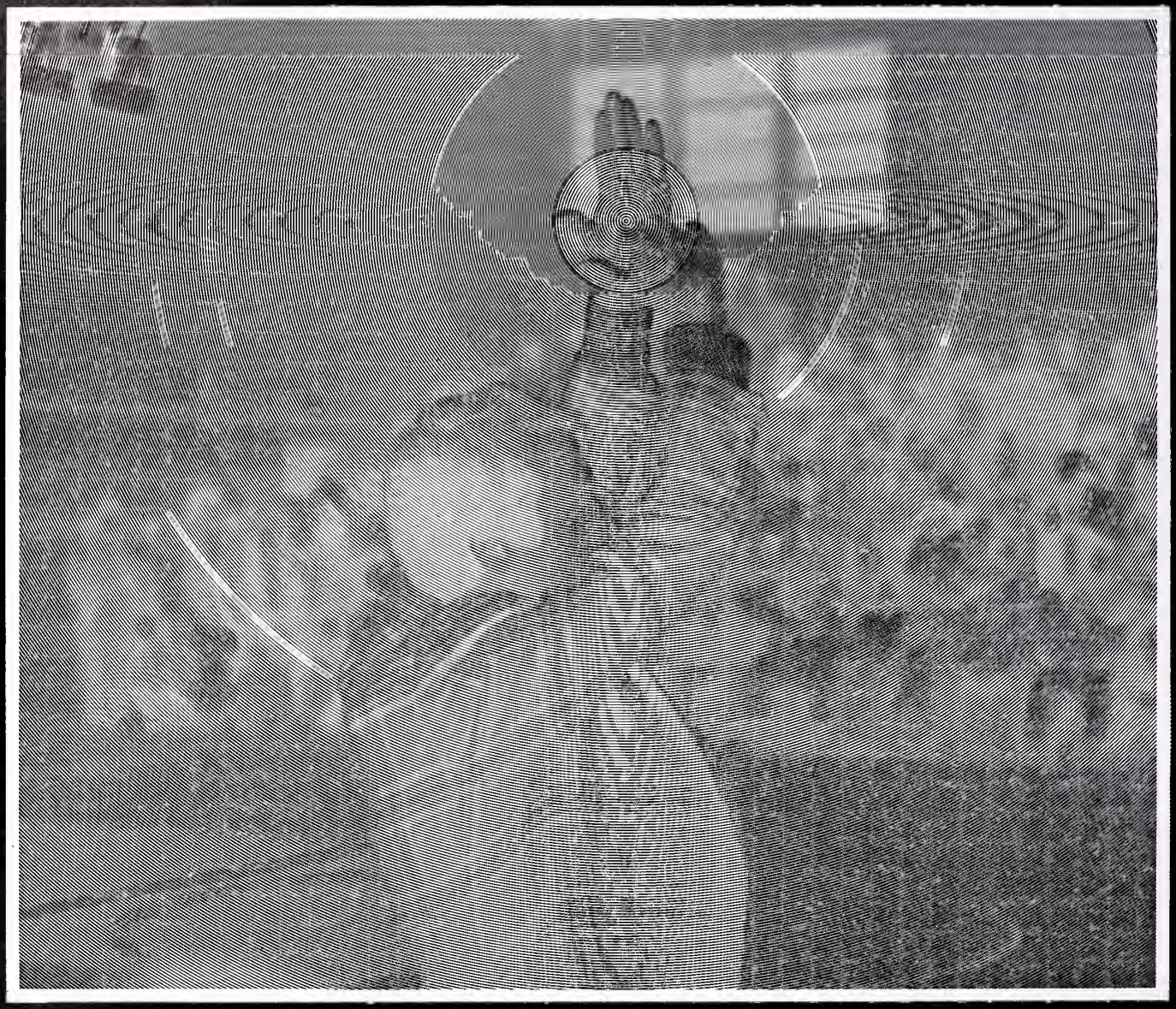

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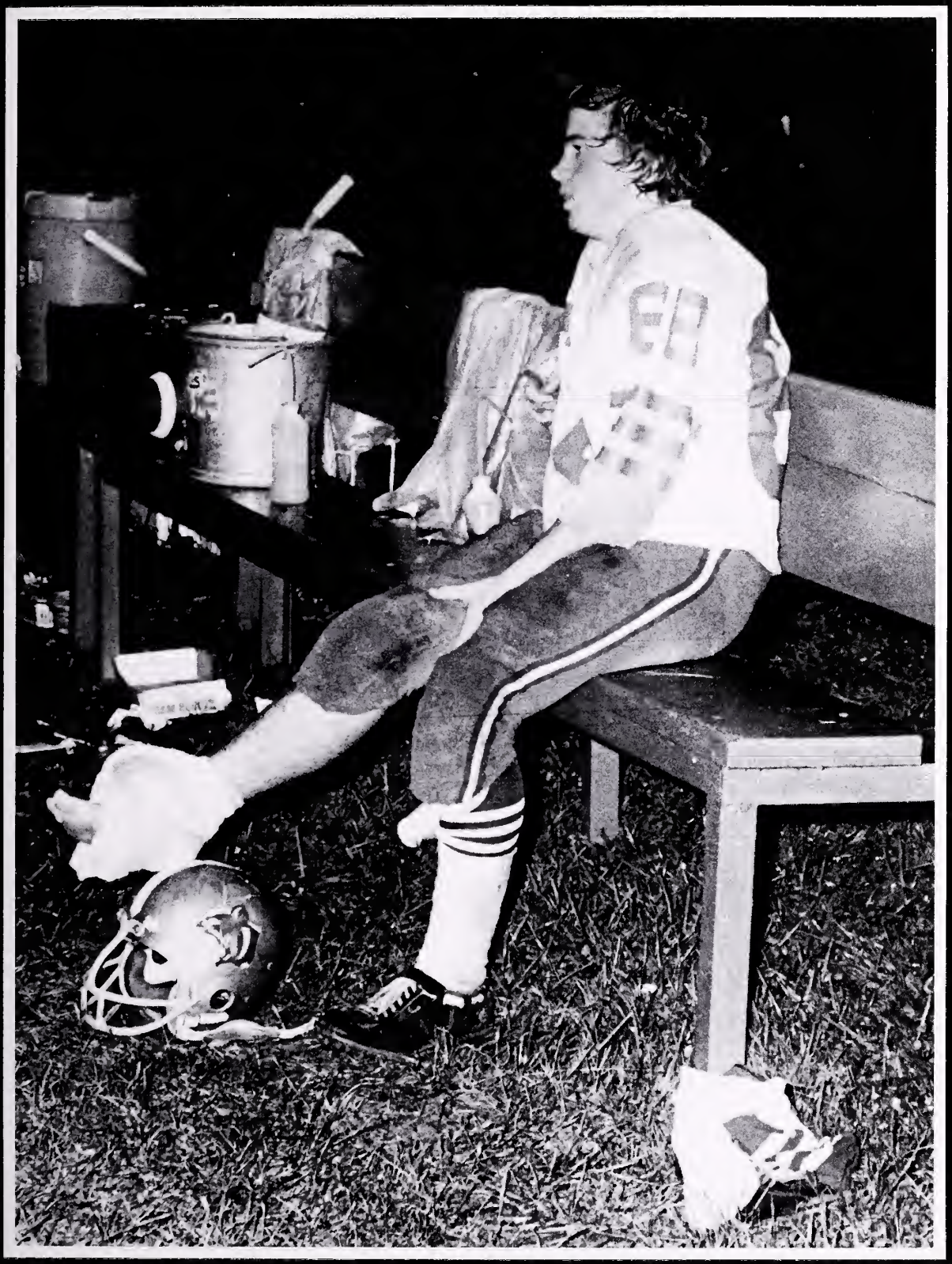

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STEPPIN' OUT . . . Curtis Jordan eludes a would-be Wm. Byrd tackler.

GET 'EM! . . . Coaches Reynolds and Woodzell watch intently as the Cougars stop another play.

THUNDERATION . . . John Payne shows his determination.

MOVIN' ON . . . David Huffman returns a punt against Alleghany.

Cougars Enjoy Good Season

HAMMER DOWN! . . . Coach Phillips encourages his players to put the rush on.

The 1975 Covington High School football team was a very good team with a mediocre record. The Cougars youth and inexperience was made up for in desire and hustle. The Cougars made up of mostly Juniors and Sophs along with some good Senior leadership. The Cougars were champion of the area with a solid defeat of Alleghany and Clifton Forge. The Cougars demolished Alleghany to the tune of 25 to 7. Then in the Little Brown Jug game the Cougars creamed Clifton 35 to 7. At the beginning the Cougars started off like a powerful team tying R.E. Lee 0 to 0. The team then beat Alleghany for a 1-0-1 record. Even though the season's record was 4-5-1, the Cougars stuck it out and are looking forward to next year.

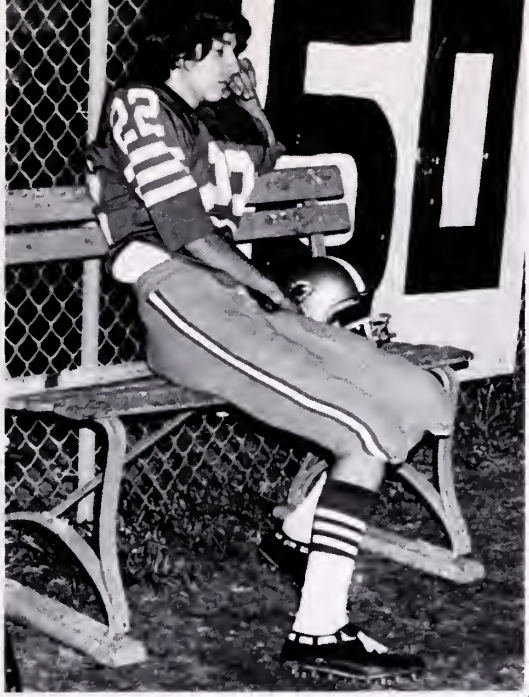
Coach Phillips stated the team was young and won games, but inexperience hurt the team. He also said That the team gained valuable experience and he is looking forward to another good year.

The Cougars will lose five Seniors but will look forward to receiving prospects from JV. The team was led by John Payne, Curtis Jordan, Ronnie Shue, and Mike Warren.

C.H.S. VARSITY COUGARS . . . First Row: Eddie Campbell, William Parker, Jimmy Garcia, Rick Neal, Wayne Payton, Randy Mills, John Payne, Matt Drudy, David McCormack, Mark Switzer, Tim Green, Robby Perkins, Greg Kincaid. **Second Row:** Neil Huffman, John Martin, Linwood Jones, Danny Walton, Curtis Jordan, Todd Myers, Tony Nicely, Brad Fitzgerald, Aaron Ratliff, Tony Allen, Pete Rigney, David Huffman, Rick Jessee, Mike Wood, Randy Laudermilk; Mgr. **Third Row:** Coaches: Phillips, Woodzell, and Reynolds, Mike Warren, Randy Montgomery, Donnell Ross, Richard Brown, Guy Clark, Dean Martin, Ricky Holloway, Hanford Myers, Sammy Crizer, Gary White, Ronnie Laws, Ronnie Shue, Wayne Humphries; Mgr.

Young Cougars Gain Experience

GANG TACKLE . . . Richard Brown and Donnell Ross put the clamp on a Greenbrier East runner while David McCormack and Mike Warren rush in to assist.



DAY DREAMING? . . . Rick Neal dreams of becoming a pro football star.

KUNG FU FIGHTING . . . Donnell Ross stops a play run by a Colt player.

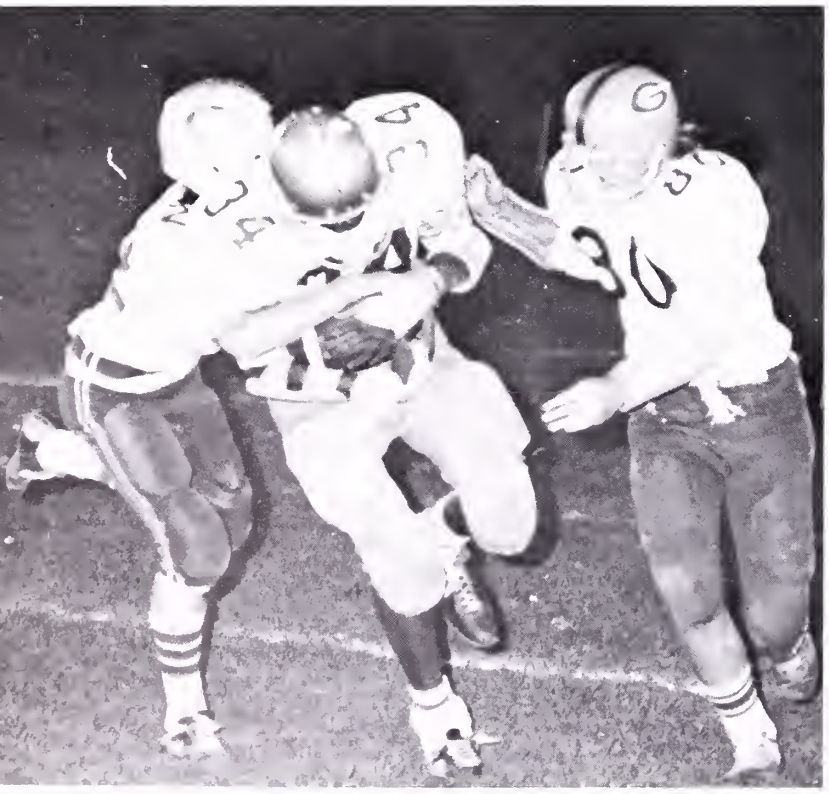
ALL ALONE IN NO MAN'S LAND . . . Rick Jessee catches a pass to gain yardage for the team.

IN PLAY . . . Ron Shue sweeps the end for the score.

RAINDROPS KEEP FALLIN' ON MY HEAD . . . Dr. Ellis watches on as the Cougars play a wet game.

JV and Eighth Grade Gain

Front Row Left to Right— Billy Kessinger, Paul Crizer, Jerry Taylor, Jay Abbott, Randy Rose, Robert Madis, Phillip Broughman, Timmy Miller. **Second Row:** Jeff Goodwin, Todd Perdue, Steve Paxton, Mike Pullin, David Cook, Arnie Persinger, Mike Henderson, Kenny Redman. **Third Row:** Steve Griffith, Kevin Rose, Kevin Nicely, Kevin Rickett, Wayne Andrews, Richard Gibson, Curtis Clemons, Chuck Ratliff. **Fourth Row:** Chipper Mack, Linton Townes, Bobby Graves, Mark Huffman, Wayne Lawson, Robert Campbell, Britt Mays, Kurt Holloway.



CHIPPER CHIPS GLENVAR — Eric Mack blasts through the line for yardage against Glenvar.

RAMBLIN MAN — Jeffery Ross rambles for yardage against Alleghany.

Valuable Experience.

The Covington Cougar Junior Varsity and Eighth Grade football teams both had fine seasons this year.

The eighth graders led by Coach John Mills and Coach Paul Linkerhoker had a 2-5-0 season, but showed splendid athletic abilities. Jeff Ross was one of the players who showed splendid running and ball handling during the season. The team consisted of some hopeful future stars, such as David Bryant, Allen Dressler, and Mike Loan.

Cougar J.V. had a splendid 7-0-1 record. They handled the ball well and had several valuable players including Eric Mack, Mike Pullin, Wayne Lawson, and Randy Rose.

Coach "Bo" Carper and Coach Jim Fore said this was one of the best teams and one of the best years they had ever coached. They also hope to have a team of the same caliber next year.

KEEP-ON-TRUCKIN — Jeffery Ross gains valuable yardage against Alleghany.

8th GRADE FOOTBALL TEAM: Right to Left, First Row — Allen Dressler, B. B. Bryant, Harry Persinger, Tony Chaplain. **Second Row:** Steve Craft, Todd Forbes, Tony Woodson. Some players were absent when picture was taken.

Cougarettes Have Another Winning Season

CONGRATULATIONS . . . Darlene Stewart gets the game ball as she scored her 1,000 points.

The Varsity girl's basketball team had another winning season under second-year coach June Beninghove. The team compiled an outstanding 13-3 record. All three losses went to the hands of Clifton Forge Mountainettes who advanced to the state finals.

Darlene Stewart led the way for the Cougarettes, setting 1,076 points for her career. Ms. Stewart was only the third C.H.S. athlete and the first girl to break 1,000 points.

The Varsity Cougarettes can look back with pride on a very successful season and look ahead to another good year. However the Varsity squad will lose two lettermen seniors: Darlene Stewart and Debbie Via.

The J.V. Cougarettes were coached by first-year coach Ms. Jane Drudy. They also posted a winning season at 5-2. The leaders for the J.V. were Tracy Miller, Lisa Maynard, and Linda Trumbo.

Coach Drudy will lose several of her players to the Varsity squad next year, but she still sees talent, coordination, and skill in next year's team.

Linda Martain and Carmine Plott served as managers for both squads. The teams could not have done without them.

The teams also broke another record, by having the largest crowd at any girls sports event at C.H.S.

LET'S [illegible] S FOR ONCE . . . Coach Beninghove talks over plans with the team.

Stewart Leads The Way

Darlene Stewart

Debbie Via

Shelia Halsey

Sharon Cambell

Kay Smith

Becky McCulley

Valerie Hardy

Tammy Downer

Julia Altizer

Cathy Ford

Juanita Gibson

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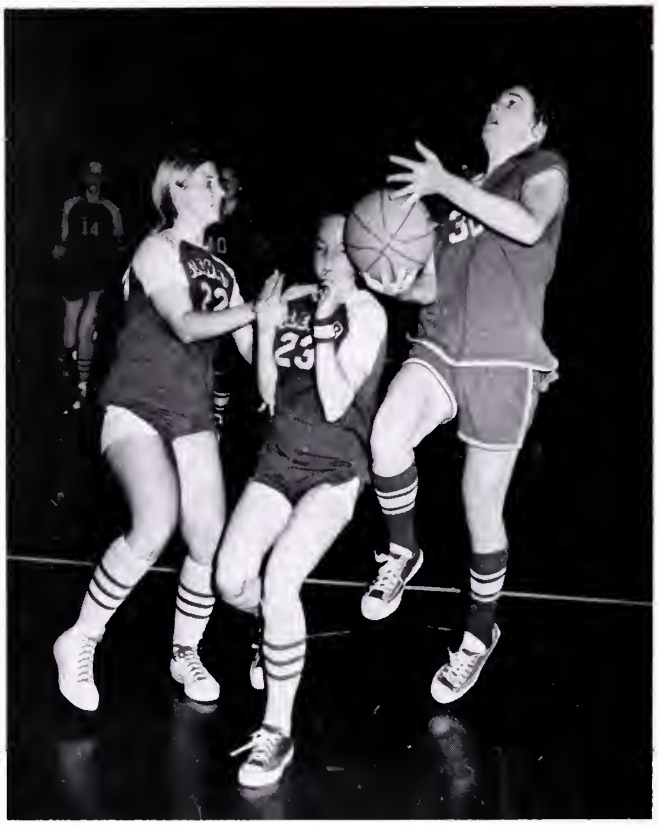
COME TO ME BABY . . . Anita Gibson tries to get the ball as she is being guard against Glenvar.



HERE I COME . . . Kay Smith drives in for an important layup against Glenvar.

CHECK THIS ONE . . . Darlene Stewart looks for the basket to put two more in for her team.

J.V.s Complete A Winning Season

J.V. GIRLS' BASKETBALL: First Row: T. Miller, P. Ford, L. Maynard, S. Rhodes, L. Trumbo, C. Carter, J. Matics, L. St. Clair, L. Lawson, B. Gibson, Coach J. Drudy.

WHERE'S THE BALL . . . Lisa Maynard can't seem to find the ball.

TELL ME AGAIN . . . Coach Drudy discuss plays to the team.

CHS WRESTLERS . . . First Row — Timmy Miller, Jeff Goodwin, Mark Huffman, Greg Kincaid, John Payne, Freddie Albrecht, **Second Row** — Kenny Redman, Randy Rose, Ricky Rapp, Neil Huffman, **Third Row** — Chucky Ratliff, Kevin Morgan, Tommy Meeks, Timmy Yancey.

Grapplers Prove Tough In Competition

According to Coach Spradlin, this has been one of the best seasons he has ever coached. CHS Grappler fans will have to agree.

Leading the wrestling team through a prosperous season were John Payne, Neil Huffman, and Greg Kincaid.

Payne took the title of Washington and Lee Champ during the Christmas tournament as did Huffman. Placing third in the state, Payne received a well deserved honor. Following close behind was Huffman taking fifth in the 155 pound weight class.

Greg Kincaid also had a third place in the Washington and Lee tournament.

Next year will return with experience and lettermen.

UNDER CONTROL . . . Randy Rose seems to be on top of the situation during this match with Clifton Forge.

CONGRATULATIONS . . . Greg Kincaid receives a warm welcome back to the bench after winning his match.

MEDIATING . . . An unidentified wrestler seems to be preparing for his upcoming match.

HUH? . . . Coach Rodney Spradlin looks baffled as the referee explains the rules.

A REAL WINNER . . . John Payne shows his form on his way to third place in the state.

CHECKING OUT THE SITUATION . . . Doug Green looks his opponent over before making his move.

IN A TIGHT SPOT . . . Tim Miller struggles with his opponent from Greenbrier East.

Cougar Wrestlers Look Promising

HOLD ON! . . . Johnny Martin takes a flip as he tries his skills.

ENCOURAGEMENT . . . Neil Huffman and Mark Huffman cheer their teammates on.

Dean Martin struggles for the ball against Bath County.

The year of the Cougar.

That's the only way to describe the remarkable success of Covington's Basketball team during the 1975-76 season.

When the season started, talk of a possible State Championship filled the school's halls. These thoughts were quickly dispelled in March when C.H.S. lost to eventual State Champs Martinsville in the regional semi-finals.

Despite this disappointment, this fine Cougar team, led by the superb scorer Garland Jefferson and the nimble Keith Twitty, raced their way through an undefeated season, 18-0-0.

Again, disaster struck in the district tournament when C.H.S. lost to last year's AA champs, Glenvar, 68-69, in overtime.

Yet the total record of 22-2-0 was the best in the school's history. And it took a total team effort to get that far. But stealing most of the headlines were Jefferson and Twitty. Garland, who was named to several H.S., All-American teams, broke nearly every scoring record in the book in getting 1,210 points in just two seasons. Twitty right behind in the scoring with a total of 1,174 points in four seasons.

A special presentation was made in front of the student body, and Twitty was awarded with a trophy and Jefferson's jersey was set aside never to be worn again.

This year's season and team will hardly be forgotten for many years to come.

Front Row, Left to Right — Steve Plesant, Keith Jackson, John Holloway, Keith Twitty, Curtis Jordon, Marc Smith. **Second Row** — Randy Mills, Richard Brown, Linton Townes, Tony Allen, Garland Jefferson, Willard Meeks, Dean Martin.

"All We Ever Hoped For"

Garland Jefferson goes up against Lewis players for a rebound.

Keith Twitty takes a jumper over Martinsville's Tim Grant during the regionals.

Randy Mills applies pressure against a Bath County player.

"Jefferson and Twitty Get Their 1,000th Point."

Coach Carper awards Garland Jefferson the game ball after getting his 1,000th point.

Coach Carper awards Keith Twitty the game ball after getting his 1,000th point as his parents look on.

Win Over Liberty Was Sweet, But Loss To Martinsville Was Bitter!

Dean Martin goes up high for a jump ball against Martinsville.

Garland Jefferson goes up for 2 points over Martinsville players.

Keith Jackson helps Linton Townes off the court with a bit of encouragement.

Coach Carper talks over game strategy during the quarter break.

Garland Jefferson looks to throw down court after bringing down a rebound.

Keith Twitty gives the play signal to his teammates as he brings the ball down court.

Eric Mack leaps over Lewis players for two points.

The Covington Junior Varsity basketball team had a splendid season capturing the Blue Ridge District Championship from Andrew Lewis defeating them 59 to 55.

The JV team had a 16-3 overall record for the year losing to Greenbrier East twice and once to Andrew Lewis. Coach John Reynolds said "Despite the three losses I am pleased to know that the boys gave it their all and won".

Certainly the most valuable player for the JV's was Erick Mack who led the club all the way. Donnell Ross with his lightening speed contributed whole-heartedly in running up the score for the team. Todd Myers and his aggressiveness helped to squeeze out the other team's potential.

The JV's handled the ball well and outwitted the other team with their jumping ability and quickness.

They always showed the crowd a good game and a little of what could be expected in the varsity game.

Eric Mack the 6'3" center will move up to the varsity line-up next year and try to fill the shoes of All-American Garland Jefferson.

"Junior Varsity Wins Blue Ridge District."

Left to Right — Billy Kessinger, David Carter, Donell Ross, Todd Myers, Curt Holloway, Clifford Ford, Gary White, Eric Mack, John Jackson, Owen Perry, Johnny Miller, Jerry Taylor.

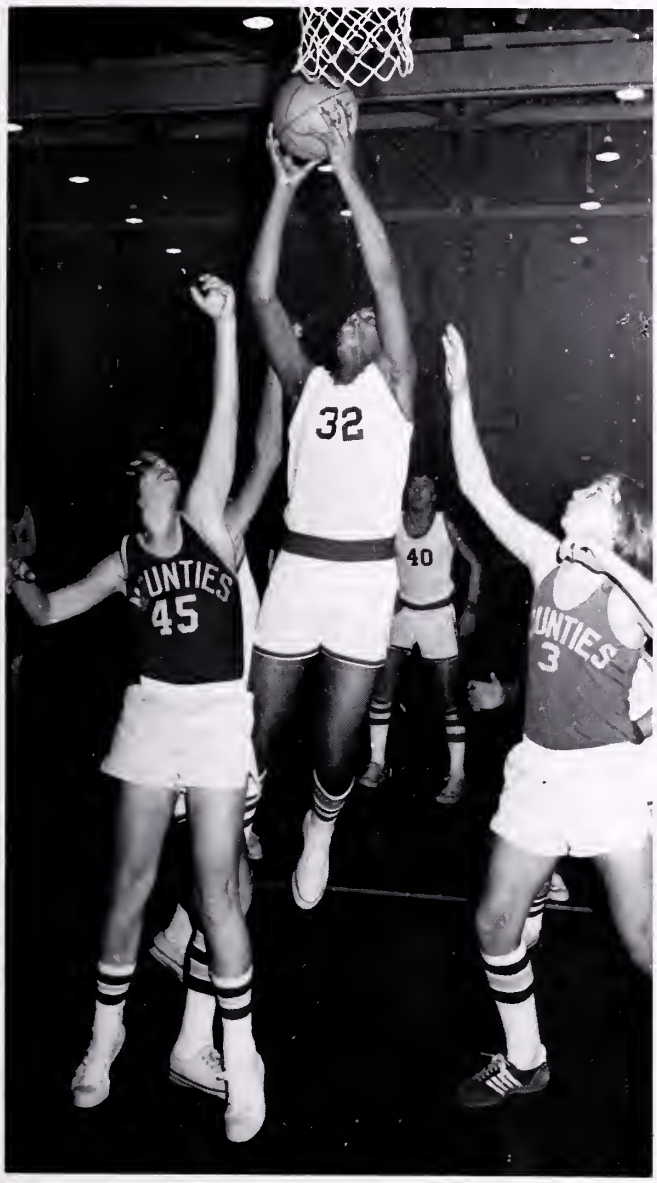
Eighth Graders Do It

This year's eighth grade basketball team had a fine 9-3-0 record for the season.

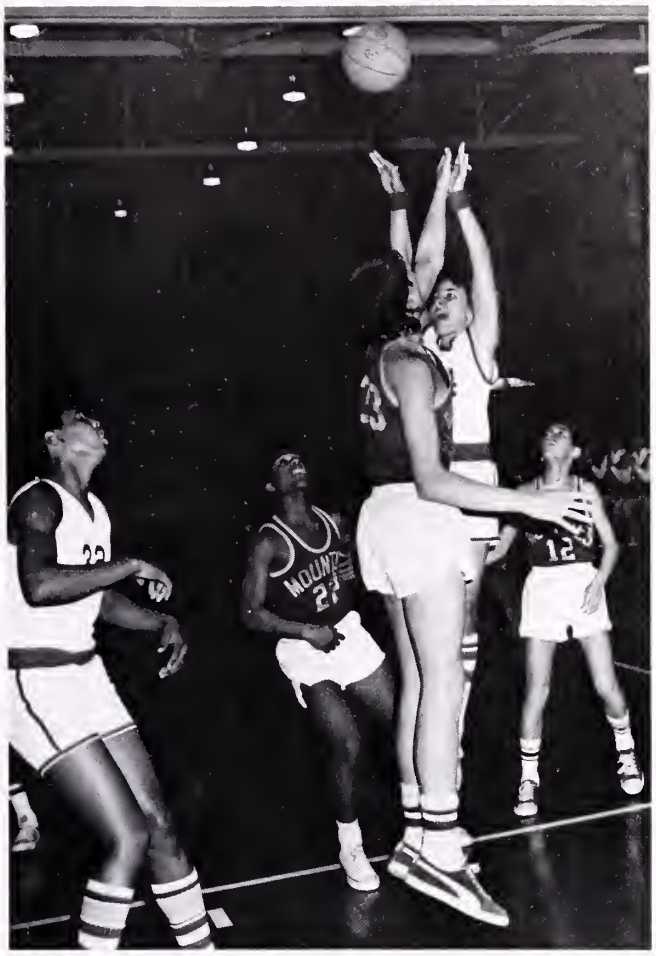
The Little Cougars moved the ball quiickly with expert timing and took well balanced shots. Coach Lewis Venerable was very pleased with the team's spirit and knowledge of the sport.

Robert Goode was among the stars for the little Cougars along with Mike Loan, B. B. Bryant, and Allan Dressler. Each of these players showed good talent that could be very valuable in coming years.

All of the players are hoping to get a seat on the JV squad next year, and coach Venerable feels that his players will be able to move up the ladder with the talent they have.



Robert Goode goes up for two points against Clifton Forge players.



Mike Loan stretches up high for the ball against Clifton Forge.

Coach Venerable talks over the game strategy with the players during a time out.

Cougars Have Good Rebuilding

Frankie Arritt, Mike Deacon, Paul Crizer, Owen Perry, Tony Nicely, Kay Smith, Mitch Mann, Randy Mills, Chuck Groome, Danny Ryder, Matt Drudy, and Coach Fore.

LINE 'ER UP, BIG SHOT . . . R. Mills prepares to make a critical putt.

The 1976 Covington High School Golf Team was a very successful team. Under the direction of Coach Jim Fore, the team compiled the best record of any team at CHS. The overall record of eight and one was the best in the school's two year history of golf at CHS. One of the biggest highlights of the year was a big upset victory over Clifton Forge. The team was led by Randy Mills, a junior, captain of the team. He was a medalist in several matches including the victory over Clifton. Another leveler on the team was Kay Smith, another junior. She was valuable to the team along with the others: Matt Drudy, Danny Ryder, and Mike Deacon. The Cougars obtained many goals this season. Randy Mills went to the regionals and Kay Smith was the alternate; the first girl to ever attend the regionals from this school. With only one senior on the team, the Cougars should be a title contender this up-coming year. Coach Fore stated that the team was vastly improved over the last year. He also recognized Randy Mills and Matt Drudy as team leaders. He added that the team missed out going to the regionals by one stroke.

Season Under Coach Jim Fore

SANDLOT CHIPPER . . . M. Drudy chips one out the sandtrap during an important match.

COACH FORE instructs Danny Ryder.

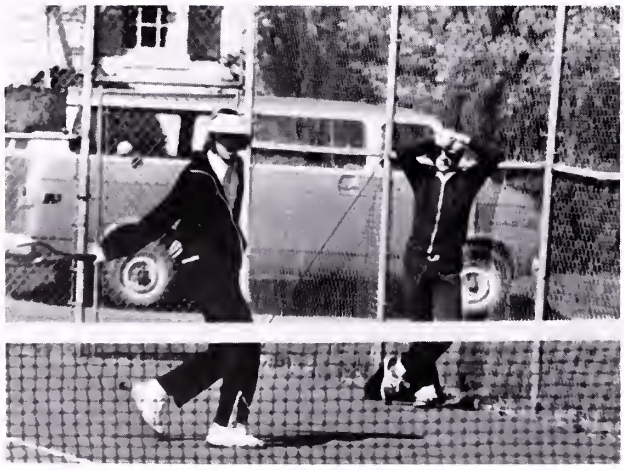
PERFECTION . . . D. Ryder sinks another one.

DISAPPOINTED . . . R. Mills surveys the situation.

NEW HORIZONS . . . The CHS Golf Team looks forward to a bright new season next year.

S-P-R-A-D-L-I-N Spells Tennis

1976 TENNIS TEAM . . . **Back Row** . Chuck Lockard (Assistant Coach), Mike Swartz, Tracey Leet, Mike Tingler, Mike Campbell, Rod Spradlin (Head Coach), **Front Row:** Wayne Humphries, Billy Kessinger, Jimmy Garcia, Timmy Goff, Jim Watts.



TRACEY LEET warms up for his match against Van Beek of Clifton Forge.

MIKE CAMPBELL needs Coach Spradlin's help as he hurt his hand in the match against Alleghany.

MIKE SWARTZ and his doubles partner had an excellent season after long hours of practice.

JIM WATTS worked hard to have a super season at the number 2 position on the team. Jim proved that Wilson really does work!

The 1976 tennis team had a very good year and a very profitable season. The team had a regular season record of 7 wins and only 4 losses — losing to Glenvar, Byrd, Lewis, and a non-district match to Liberty. There was vast improvement over last year's record and the ability to make every match a real contest was shown in all of this year's matches. The team traveled to the Blue Ridge District Tournament and successfully defeated Clifton Forge in the first round before losing to Andrew Lewis in the semi-finals.

The final season record of 8-5 shows in itself all of the work and dedication to the sport by the coach, Rod Spradlin.

MIKE TINGLER is mentally preparing for his next match.

WAYNE HUMPHRIES readys himself for his match by hitting some practice strokes. "If in trouble, lob . . . and lob . . . and lob."

This year's varsity baseball team had a season full of surprises.

The biggest surprise of them all was defeating Alleghany 6-0 in the Blue Ridge District Championship game. The Cougars played extremely good ball in this game getting 20 hits while Craig Madison held Alleghany off for only 2 hits. Coach John Mills said, "I can't believe it and probably never will." This was the first time in ten years Covington defeated Alleghany in baseball.

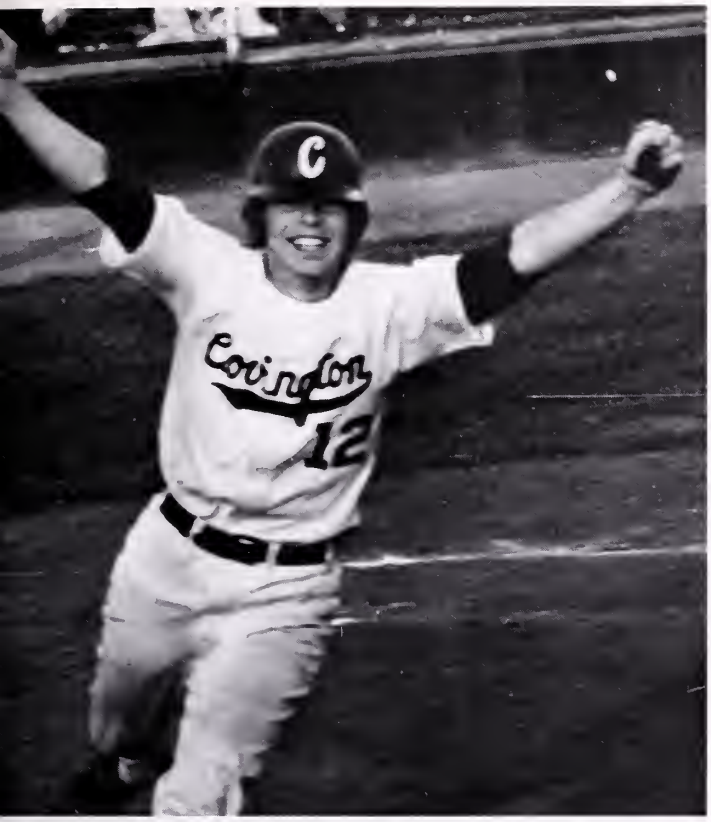
The Cougars then moved into the Regionals and suffered a hard 4-1 loss to Tunstall. The Cougars played good ball but the breaks of the game went the other way.

The Cougars are losing four players but have alot of young talent returning for next years's season.

Craig Madison attempts to put the tag on a Clifton Forge player.

Covington Defeats Alleghany . . .

Front Row, Left to Right — Johnny Martian, Mike Young, Wayne Lawson, David Carter, Robbie Perkins, Kenny Munsey, Larry O'Rourke, Mike Madison. **Second Row** — Coach John Mills, Todd Myers, Jimmy Robertson, Dean Martin, Craig Madison, Ronald Shue, Wayne Payton, David Huffman, David McCormack, Tonny Soldomridge.



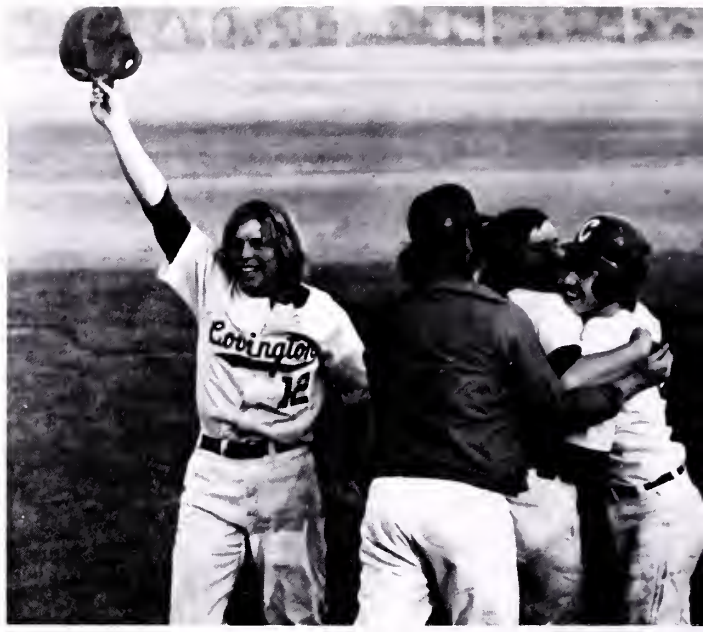
Larry O'Rourke gives the victory sign as he scores during the game.

David Huffman looks towards Coach Mills for some pitching instructions.

. . . For Blue Ridge District Championship.

Ron Shue slides in for the score against the Clifton Forge pitcher.

David Huffman tries to save some time by grabing a grounder bare handed, in order to make a quicker throw.



Lanny O'Rourke waves to the fans after defeating Alleghany in the Blue Ridge Championship game.

Coach Mills gives Todd Myers some encouragement in stealing bases.

David Huffman hurles another pitch towards the plate.

R. Slayton talks the situation over with J. Abbott.

This year's JV baseball team had a disappointing but learning season. Coach Venerable taught his young charges the basic skills they would need in the coming years of Covington's baseball program.

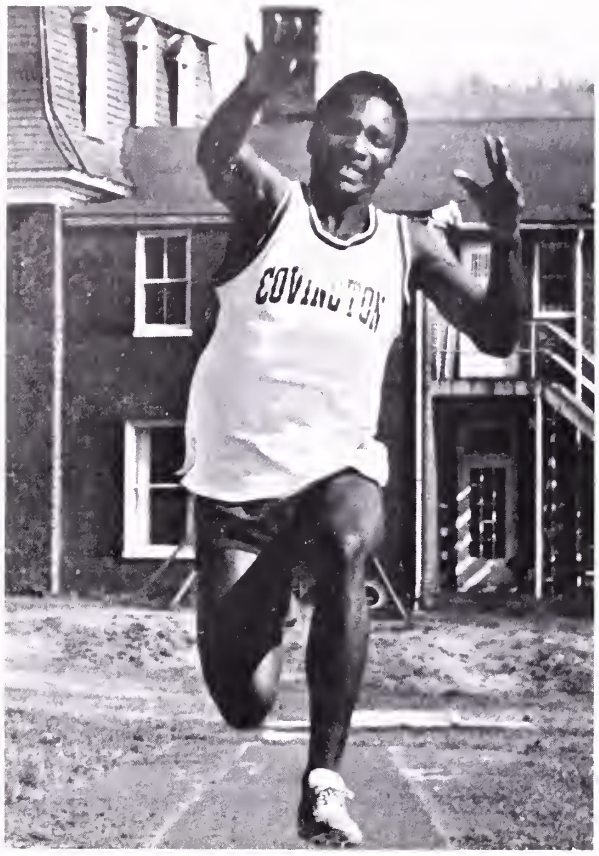
The JV baseball team showed some talent that will be appreciated in coming years on the baseball squad.

Robert Slayton, the pitching ace for the team, is a hopeful prospect for the varsity squad next year. Jay Abbott, the man behind the plate, showed a lot of skill and Mike Young put out exceptional effort and spirit to keep the club moving.

Coach Venerable said he was pleased with the team effort and hope that the returning players will have gained a little experience. He also stated that he would like to gain a Blue Ridge District Championship next year.

JV's Display Improvement

Front Row, Left to Right — Chris Angel, Mike Loan, Billy Potter, Jerry Tayler, Danny Paxton, Robbie Lee, B. B. Bryant. **Second Row** — Jay Abbott, Johnny Miller, Kenny Redman, Randy Rose, Brett Laudermilk, Mike Henderson, Curt Clemons, Allan Dressler, Robert Slayton.



BOO! . . . C. Jordan appears to be after you but is actually taking part in the long jump.

The 1976 Covington High track team was faced with strong competition this year but that didn't stop them. The Cougar thinclads pulled through with a winning season.

Leading the Cougars as co-captains were John Payne, Curtis Jordon, and Marc Smith. Top Scorers included Timmy St. Clair, Curtis, and Rick Jessee.

Various records were set throughout the year. John Payne set a record in the pole vault as it now stands at 11 feet 9 inches. Lorenzo Ross set a new long jump record with a jump of 20 feet and 6 inches. Ricky Jessee set the 120 yard high hurdle record with a clocking of 15.5 seconds. Tim St. Clair dominated the records getting the mile down to 4.33.4 seconds and the 2 mile to 9.54 seconds.

The cougars were very young and should be very competitive next year. They had a 7-5 record and much improvement was seen over the year.

The thinclads will loose 7 seniors to graduation and Coach Fuhrman seems to think the guys peaked at the right time.

The Cougars had 20-21 guys to score throughout the season and as a team they placed 4th in the District.

Coach Fuhrman will be looking forward to rebuilding next year.

VARSITY TRACK TEAM . . . First Row: Coach Phillips, M. Smith, D. Ross, C. Jordan, J. Payne, J. Goodwin, K. Smith, D. Pence, E. Laws, and Coach Furman. **Second Row:** R. Jessee, W. Meeks, P. Rigney, R. Lockhart, L. Jeter, and L. Jones. **Third Row:** T. St. Clair, Mgr. M. Rapp, R. Hollaway, R. Rapp, A. Hilmer, P. Harrison, and G. White.

St. Clair, Jessee, and Harrison Go To State

ROUGH . . . T. St. Clair shows his form as he wins the two mile.

BOOGIE FEVER . . . R. Jessee does his stuff against Lord Botetourt High School.

LOOK OUT! . . . P. Harrison displays his strength in the 1880.

RACING THE CLOCK . . . P. Rigney whips his tough component.

HANDS UP! . . . A. Hilmer moves in for a victory in the 880.

Thinclads At Work

UP AND OVER . . . W. Meeks attempts the high jump as Mr. Hammond looks on.

TAKIN' IT EASY . . . P. Rigney and R. Jessee take a break.

J.V. TRACK TEAM: 1st Row: M. Puckett, J. Clark, M. Lilly, G. Rickett, S. Griffith, V. Douglas. **2nd Row:** C. Spath, D. Albreck, R. Waldren, C. Linkous, A. Ferris, C. Crawford, S. Craft, D. Seldomridge. **3rd Row:** J. Peters, S. St. Clair, S. Vail, C. Alabertos, H. Persinger, R. Summons, D. Smith.

OOPS! . . .G. Rickett shows his unusual hurdling form.

J.V. Thinclads Stand Tall

The 1975 J.V. Track team was maned by Coach Woodzell for another year.

The thinclads were faced with rough, and some times older competition but they still stood tall. Even though the record was 1 and 5, Coach Woodzell seems to think that there was much improvement.

Some of the outstanding teammates which helped move the team along were Allen Farris, Steve St. Clair, and Wayne Johnson.

Coach Woodzell seems to think that the teams strong events were in the distance running. Since the thinclads were very young they should return much experience, and some will progress to help the varsity.

Girl's Track

SWEET VICTORY . . . Carol Mayo crosses the line to victory.

This year's girl's track team had a highly successful season. They ended the regular season with a record of 4-4-1 which was a marked improvement over last season.

Covington finished fourth in the Blue Ridge District Meet, scoring 54 points. Sheila Halsey was the high scorer with 20 points while setting a school record in the shot put. In the Regionals, Covington placed fifth out of twenty-five schools. Sheila Halsey finished in first place in both the shot put and discus and both were regional records. Dorethea Jordan finished second in the 220. Sheila Halsey, Dorethea Jordan, Julie Altizer, Tammy Tingler, Carol Mayo, Mary Drudy, and Sue Halsey all went to the Regionals. In the State Competitions held at Madison College, Covington scored 12 points. Sheila Halsey scored all the points, placing second in the discus and fourth in the shot put. Coach June Beninghove was equally proud of all her girls.

FLYING . . . Lola Ross easily crosses the hurdles.

Derrick Miller gets ready to hit the ball in an unusual form.

The Cougar Varsity Power Volleyball team compiled a 12-2 record under the guidance of Coach June Beninghove. The volleyball team was a co-ed operation for the first time and they earned the title of Blue Ridge District champion for the regular season.

The team suffered its only two losses at the hands of Alleghany, one loss came during the regular season and the other came in the finals of the Blue Ridge District tournament.

Statistics show that the volleyball team outscored its opposition during the season 520-401, with Sharon Campbell leading the individual scoring with 104 points.

Next years team will hopefully be strong since it will only be losing four seniors, Debra Via, Wayne Humpries, Derrick Miller, and Matt Drudy.

First Row, Left ro Right — Sharon Cambel, Wayne Humpries. **Second Row** — Robin Sweeny, Juanita Gibson, Eric Grumblat, Tammy Downer, Matt Drudy, Debbie Via, Jul Hamilton, Coach Benninghow. **Third Row** — Lisa Lawson, Derrick Miller, Connie Maynard, Richard Gibson, Jeff Horton, Lisa Garten, Shelia Halsy.

C.H.S. Captures Regular Season Championship

Wayne Humpries seems to be pointing to the ceiling while talking to the official.

Matt Drudy shows his expert form in a slam hit.

Connie Maynard smacks the ball up high in a match against Greenbrier East.

SCOREBOARD

FOOTBALL

CHS		OPP
0	Robert E. Lee	0
25	Alleghany County	17
14	Glenvar	6
7	Greenbrier East	12
7	Andrew Lewis	35
7	William Byrd	10
0	Cave Springs	13
6	Lexington	19
14	Lord Botetourt	6
35	Clifton Forge	6

Regular Season Record 4-5-1
Junior Varsity Record 7-0-1
Eighth Grade Record 2-5

GIRL'S BASKETBALL

CHS		OPP
61	Glenvar	23
52	Glenvar	15
62	William Byrd	39
49	Andrew Lewis	42
39	Alleghany	33
42	Clifton Forge	54
54	Lord Botetourt	46
69	Glenvar	34
50	William Byrd	36
53	Andrew Lewis	51
67	Alleghany	44
40	Clifton Forge	42
47	Lord Botetourt	39

Regular Season Record 11-2
Junior Varsity Record 5-2

Blue Ridge Tournament

69	Glenvar	28
60	Andrew Lewis	52
40	Clifton Forge	53

Second in District Tournament

WRESTLING

CHS		OPP
25	Alleghany	35
38	Greenbrier East	27
17	Lord Botetourt	42

Third in W & L Christmas Tourney

23	Greenbrier East	32
36	James River	23
19	Lexington	37
7	William Byrd	52
26	Alleghany	26
17	Andrew Lewis	39
9	Glenvar	51

Regular Season Record 2-7-1
Sixth in District Tournament
Eighth in Regional Tournament
Junior Varsity Record 3-3

POWER VOLLEYBALL

CHS		OPP
2	Parry McClour	0
2	James River	1
0	Alleghany	2
2	Greenbrier East	0
2	William Byrd	0
2	Andrew Lewis	1
2	Alleghany	1
2	Clifton Forge	1
2	Lord Botetourt	1
2	Clifton Forge	0
2	James River	0
2	Glenvar	0

Regular Season Champs 6-0

Blue Ridge Tournament

2	William Byrd	1
0	Alleghany	2

Second in District Tournament

BOY'S BASKETBALL

CHS		OPP
85	Bath County	55
81	Lexington	59
70	William Byrd	54
81	Lord Botetourt	61
109	Alleghany	53
55	Greenbrier East	46
80	James River	51
89	Alleghany	52
66	Andrew Lewis	60
91	Clifton Forge	55
82	Glenvar	65
112	Bath County	62
75	William Byrd	51
76	Lord Botetourt	60
99	Alleghany	61
83	Andrew Lewis	72
74	Clifton Forge	64
76	Greenbrier East	65
68	Glenvar	62
81	Lexington	63
81	Lord Botetourt	53

Regular Season Champs 21-0

Blue Ridge District Tournament

81	Lord Botetourt	53
68	Glenvar	69

Second in District Tournament

Regional Tournament

72	Liberty	66
58	Martinsville	62

BASEBALL

CHS		OPP
11	Bath County	10
6	Andrew Lewis	3
1	Clifton Forge	15
2	Glenvar	13
17	Greenbrier East	9
2	William Byrd	1
8	Lord Botetourt	9
0	Bath County	4
2	Alleghany	15
0	Andrew Lewis	5
1	Clifton Forge	6
6	Glenvar	7
8	William Byrd	9
1	Lord Botetourt	5
1	Alleghany	4

Regular Season Record 7-12

District Tournament

6	Lord Botetourt	4
6	Alleghany	0

District Tournament Champions

Regional Tournament

1	Tunstall	4

Junior Varsity Record 1-7

GOLF

CHS		OPP
332	Alleghany	347
350	Clifton Forge	320
348	Greenbrier East	328
350	Glenvar	362
348	Lexington	300
350	James River	376
333	Lord Botetourt	319
338	Alleghany	332
342	Greenbrier East	325
326	Clifton Forge	330
338	James River	384
311	William Byrd	326
311	Glenvar	335
343	Lord Botetourt	318
343	William Byrd	344
338	Andrew Lewis	288

Fourth in District Tournament

Regular Season Record 8-8

BOY'S TRACK

CHS		OPP
35½	William Byrd	99½
26	Radford	84½
	Pulaski	53½
109	James River	27
103	Alleghany	33
90	Parry McClure	58
90	Alleghany	22
71	Clifton Forge	65
66	Lord Botetourt	70
96	Glenvar	40
71	Clifton Forge	75
71	Alleghany	24
38½	Andrew Lewis	84½
	Clifton Forge	47

Regular Season Record 7-5

Junior Varsity Regular Season Record 1-5

GIRLS' TRACK

CHS		OPP
50	Clifton Forge	50
42	Glenvar	68
58	James River	53
	Parry McClure	30
34	William Byrd	76
29½	Andrew Lewis	80½
59	Lord Botetourt	51
35	Greenbrier East	66
66	Alleghany	44

Fourth in District Meet

Fifth in Regional Meet

Regular Season Record 4-4-1

TENNIS

CHS		OPP
1	William Byrd	8
7	Clifton Forge	2
5	Greenbrier East	4
0	Liberty	9
7	Alleghany	2
3	Glenvar	6
6	Alleghany	3
7	Greenbrier East	2
0	Andrew Lewis	9
6	Bath County	3
6	Clifton Forge	3

District Playoffs

6	Alleghany	3

District Tournament

1	Andrew Lewis	

Regular Season Record 7-4

Fourth in District

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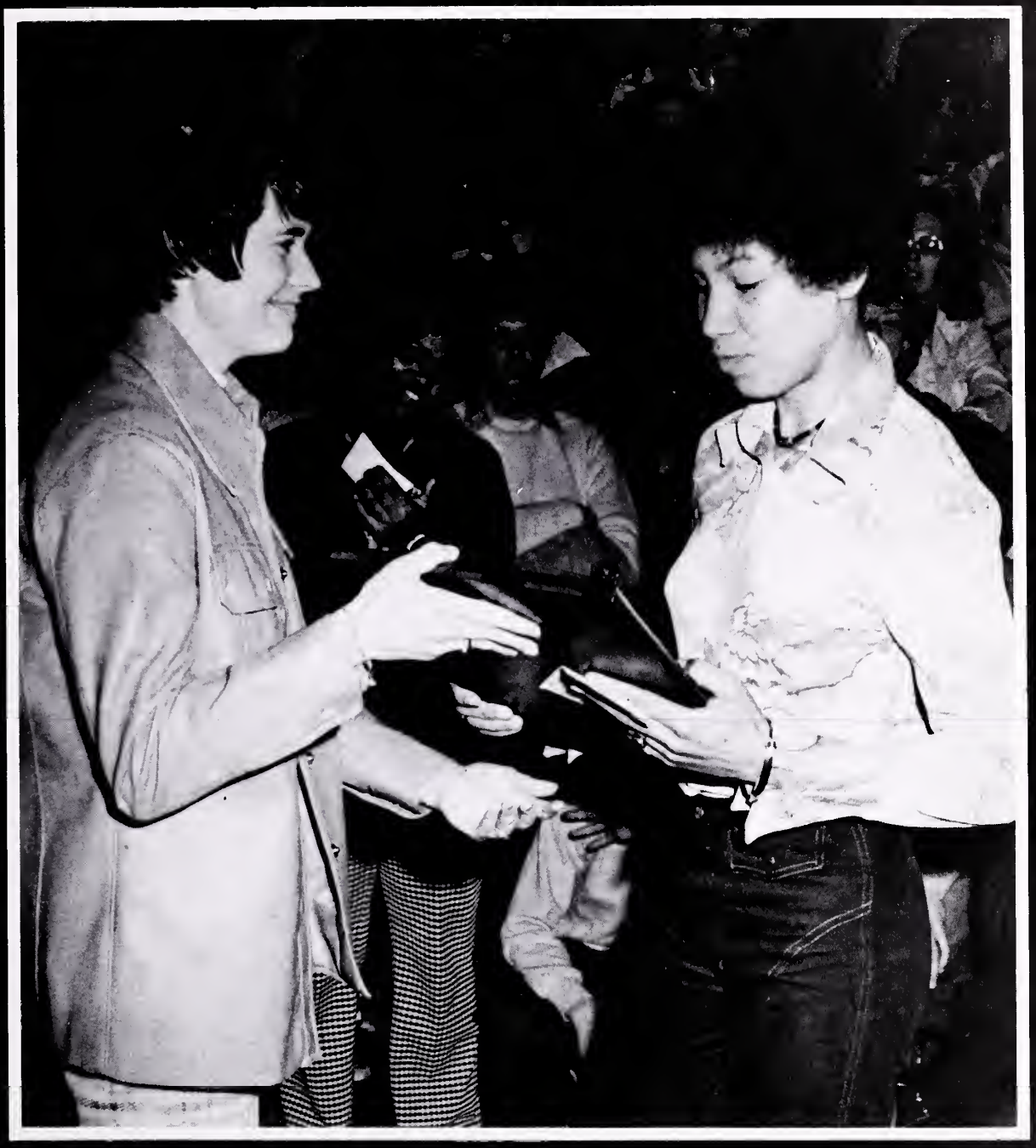

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1975 HOMECOMING QUEEN . . . Miss Lisa Kae Hardy escorted by Pat Harrison

Homecoming 1975

ROBIN DENISE ABSHIRE
Escorted by Marc Smith

JOAN LINETTE CRAGHEAD
Escorted by Eddie Bane

EMMY LOU CRAWFORD
Escorted by John Bell

TAMMY LEE CRAWFORD
Escorted by Randy Furlong

LISA KELLY HEIGHTER
Escorted by Arthur Hillmer

CHERI LYNN KELLY
Escorted by Larry O'Rourke

CARRIE J. McLAUGHLIN
Escorted by Kenny Munsey

BARBARA JO NOEL
Escorted by Garland Jefferson

JOYCE YVONNE PUCKETT
Escorted by John Payne

Lisa Hardy Named Homecoming Queen for 1975

Class of '79 Holds Field Day

HOP ON DOWN . . . Loveda Morgan makes her way on down to finish line in the potato sack race.

CONTROL TOWER? THIS IS COL. LAWSON . . . Tommy Lawson and Johnna Webb get clear sights for a win in the wheelbarrow race.

IT TAKES TWO HANDS . . . D'ona Arthur munches on her peanut butter sandwich during this unusual event.

WE'RE BACKING YOU UP . . . Many problems arose throughout the field day.

for Sophomores, Freshmen + 8th Graders

HUNGRY, RON? . . . Ron Shue seems to show everyone just who's who when it comes to eating a peanut butter sandwich.

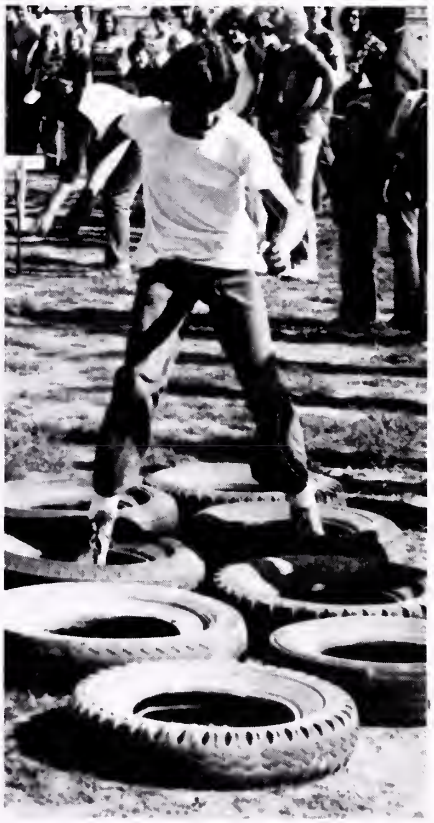
For the first time, the Freshman class sponsored a field day for all Eighth Graders, Freshman, and Sophomores. Everyone was invited to attend. A small admission fee was charged at the gate to help the Class of '79 increase its funds for the time when they would have to sponsor the Junior-Senior Prom.

The events were centered around the TV program "Almost Anything Goes". And believe it or not that's exactly what happened!!

To start the day off, they held a discus throwing contest using paper plates as the discus. Other events included leap frog, potato sack races, and popping balloons on a bike. The last event was the real grabber! The teams all got together and competed in a tug of war. Only this was a little different than usual . . . it was over a huge mud puddle. It was quite a muddy event but all was fun! The Sophomores won with the Freshmen in second leaving the Eighth graders in third place.

Sophomores Win Over Freshmen & 8th Graders

UP AND OVER . . . This was a leap frog event held near the end of the day.



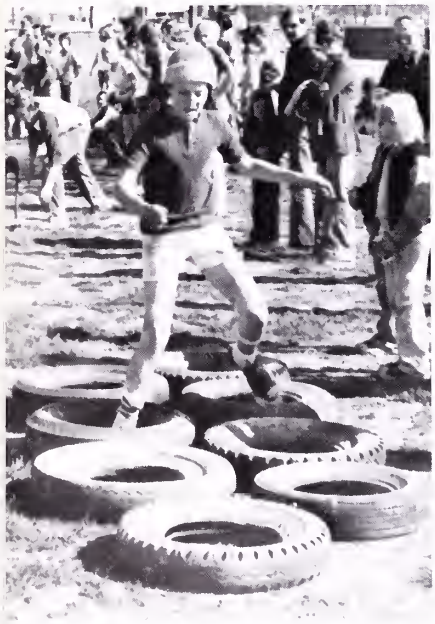
BASIC TRAINING? . . . Mike Loan participates in the obstacle course.

Neil Huffman looks a little unhappy with the color he is . . .

Marvin Jeter attempts to bust a balloon during the race on the bikes.

Jay Abbott and Dianna Munsey seem to be having difficulty during the wheelbarrow race.

HEAVE!!! . . . Robbie Lee seems to be struggling to pull someone in the mud.



Tommy Lawson concentrates as he straddles the tires.

Kenny Redman makes sure he gets a box office seat!!

Students Celebrate Jug Victory

Sharing is a good act usually done with just cause. But when it comes to the Brown Jug, there's no sweetness about it.

Maybe the Cougars seem a little selfish, but once again they were determined to keep their little jug. And that's just what they did!

In an exciting game against those Clifton Forge rivals, the Covington Cougars proved their worth. The score stood 35-6.

It's no wonder that a celebration was in order. So performing well, the cheerleaders, majorettes, and band helped to make this a festive occasion with the jug assembly.

MMM, MMM GOOD . . . The Cougars feast on cup cakes provided by the Pep Club.

SING A SONG . . . The faculty takes part in celebrating.

MARCHING MAJORETTES . . . The majorettes join the cheerleaders and band for a number.

ONE BIG FAMILY . . . The students of CHS unite to celebrate the big victory!

Dean Martin, Susan Albert Reign As

1976 MARDI GRAS KING AND QUEEN . . . Dean Martin and Susan Albert were selected as King and Queen by fellow Spanish Club members.

For the third consecutive year, the Spanish Club held the Mardi Gras in the CHS gym. Much planning and hard work went into this event. The gym was decorated with balloons and streamers according to the custom in New Orleans. Members were asked to vote on a king and queen to reign over the festivities. Dean Martin and Susan Albert were chosen for this honor. Music was played by "City Council" of Roanoke. The king and queen and their court danced a spotlight number and then regular dancing resumed. The dance was enjoyed by all.

PLANET OF THE APES? . . . No, just one of the many costumes worn by those who attended.

1976 Mardi Gras King and Queen

PETER COTTONTAIL?? . . . Kathy Haynes shows interest by competing for the title of "Best Costume".

LAND OF THE GIANTS . . . Jay Bush is one of the many who enjoyed the decorations.

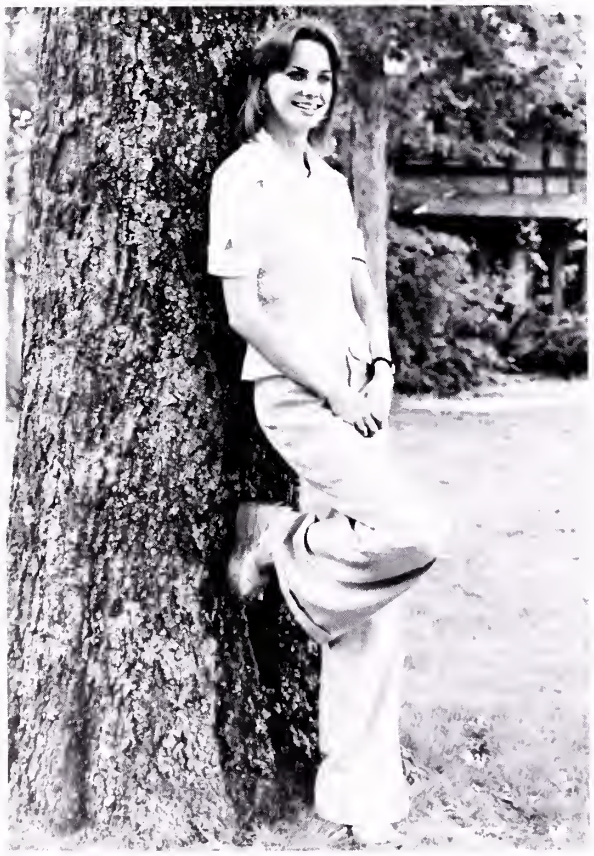
CHANGE, SENOR SPRADLIN? . . . The Spanish Club also sold refreshments to earn money for the trip to Mexico.

Mardi Gras

1975

Miss CHS of 1976

MISS CHS . . . Miss Lisa Kae Hardy



FIRST RUNNER-UP . . . Miss Joan Linette Craghead

SECOND RUNNER-UP . . . Miss Lisa Kelly Heighter

Miss CHS Contestants

Miss Robin Denise Abshire

Miss Emmy Lou Crawford

Miss Tammy Lee Crawford

Miss Judith Leigh Crizer

Miss Lisa Kae Hardy was the proud recipient of the Miss CHS title for the 1976 school year. She was named to this honor during a special May assembly. First runner-up was Miss Joan Linette Craghead while Miss Lisa Kelly Heighter was named second runner-up.

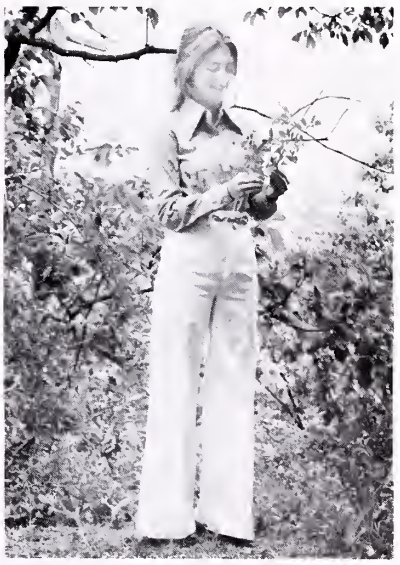
The ten contestants were selected by the senior class. They were then presented before a panel of judges who judged them on such things as poise, appearance, knowledge of current events and school activities.

The other seven contestants were: Robin Denise Abshire, Emmy Lou Crawford, Tammy Lee Crawford, Judith Leigh Crizer, Cheri Lynn Kelley, Barbara Jo Noel, and Joyce Yvonne Puckett.

The winners names were kept secret until the special assembly held in Curfman Hall. The girls were then presented with red roses and congratulations.

Miss Cheri Lynn Kelley

Miss Barbara Jo Noel



Miss Joyce Yvonne Puckett

SCA Elections for 76-77

This year, many qualified candidates sought the offices of the Student Council. A special assembly was held in which the candidates delivered their speeches and campaign promises for the coming year. After each candidate had spoken for each of the four offices, a time was alotted for a question-answer period between students and the candidates.

The following week, the halls were decorated with witty slogans and posters. Many gave out candy and various other treats trying to steal a vote. As the week progressed, there was much talk and argument over who was the best candidate and who was responsible enough to hold such an office.

At the end of the week, another assembly was held and each candidate and their managers had prepared skits and songs boosting their campaigns. The next morning the student body was given time in homeroom to vote for the candidate of their choice. Again, CHS had chosen its leaders for the 76-77 school term. The new officers are: Carmine Plott, President; David McCormack, Vice President; Karen Abshire, Secretary; and Tammy Downer, Treasurer.

A MUNCHKIN? . . . Brenda Martin and Lisa Lawson participate in a skit for Janie Curtin.

WELCOME BACK . . . Robby Perkins portrays Mr. Kotter in the elections.

AYYYY . . . Paul "Phonz" Crizer shows up in time to settle a dispute between "Horseshack" Pullin, "Epstein" Kincaid, and "Barbarino" Lawson.

SCA CANDIDATES AND CAMPAIGN MANAGERS . . . First Row: . . . Janie Curtin, Billy Leary, Carmine Plott, Sharon Via, David McCormack, Karen Abshire, Debbie Baker, and Tammy Downer. **Second Row:** . . . Angie Loan, Mike Swartz, Tim St. Clair, Brenda Paxton, John Payne, Susan Claterbaugh, Maxine Perkins, and Cathy Ford.

BATMAN AND ROBIN . . . B.B. Bryant and Lisa St. Clair campaign in an unusual way.

Plott,

McCormack,

Downer,

&

Abshire

Head Student

Body

Ebony Phase I Voted Theme for Black History Assembly

"We Can Make It Together" C.H.S.'s Student body take a break from a hard practice of trying to get the Black History Program together.

"Let's Talk It Over" L. Heighter and C. Hunter discuss Black History Activities over with Mr. Hill.

"Action" during the Black Assembly students put on a skit portraying an interview asking different Blacks from different stands of Life, the question "What does being Black mean to you?"

For through it all we've made it and there will be no turning back. For Ebony is my people, for my people are Black.

(Cynthia Hunter)

This year's Black History Program was organized by Ms. Lisa Heighter and Ms. Cynthia Hunter with the help of Covington High School's faculty and student body. Although the practices were hard and long the outcome of the assembly was worth it all. The assembly ended a week of different activities pertaining to the recognition of Black Heritage Week.

One of the most interesting aspects of the assembly was a skit in the form of an interview. The interview was headed off by Paul Morgan, who acted the part of a Black News Magazine interviewer, asking "What does being Black mean to you?" to students acting parts of different types of Blacks in America. The Characters were as follows: Black Rebel: R. Brown, Social Worker: R. Lemons, Big Executive: G. Jefferson, High School Student: O. Harvey, Pimp: E. Laws, All Star Athletic: T. Allen. The skit was a success in itself. Still Ebony takes a stand.

"Let's Do It Again" M. Jeter and D. Jeter thrill the students with a soulful song.

"Lift Every Voice" Music selections are given by the "Gospel Tabernacle Church of God In Christ."

"EBONY FASHION FAIR" PARTICIPANTS WERE AS FOLLOWS: K. Twitty and T. Wilson, D. Hunter and V. Gray, C. Spencer and D. Megginson, P. Morgan and D. Dooley, D. Halsey and C. Carter, C. Hunter and D. Miller, R. Holloway and D. Jeter, and L. Smith and E. Laws, M. Cashwell and G. White, G. Jefferson and K. Jackson, and D. Hunter.

"I Had A Dream" D. Miller gives dedication speech to Dr. Martin Luther King.

"Dream Variation"
P. Robinson and O. Harvey
reads modern Black Poetry

Awards Day

TRACK . . . R. Jessee, C. Jordan, J. Payne, P. Harrison, and T. St. Clair broke various school records.

FRANCIS J. "BOODIE" ALBERT AWARD . . . Garland Jefferson received this award as the most outstanding senior athlete.

MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS . . . First Row: C. Jordan, S. Campbell, D. Jordan, D. Stewart, J. Payne. **Second Row:** G. Jefferson, T. Leet, M. Warren, R. Mills, T. St. Clair, and K. Munsey.

DAR AWARD . . . S. Griffith was awarded this.

SAFETY DRIVER AWARD . . . S. Crawford and W. Humphries were presented this award for their unique driving ability.

Various awards were presented to students for their outstanding academic and athletic abilities during the special Awards Day assembly held in Curfman Hall in May.

Among these awards were the Francis J. "Boodie" Albert Award which was presented to Garland Jefferson and the DAR Award which Stanley Griffith recieved.

A big honor for a cheerleader of the Varsity squad is to be chosen as Cheerleader of the Year by the student body. This year the lucky girl chosen was Miss Lisa Heighter.

A new award was presented to Sarah Crawford and to Wayne Humphries this year. The award was the Safety Driver Award and was presented by Mr. Carper.

Although these were just barely touching the numerous awards presented, it is quite certain that Covington High School is proud of every single winner. After all, everyone at CHS is a winner everyday!

CHARLES T. COOKE MEMORIAL AWARD . . . This special award went to John Payne.

CHEERLEADER OF THE YEAR . . . Lisa Heighter was chosen for this honor.

Super Seniors '76

SUPER SENIORS '76 . . . The class of 1976 says GOOD-BYE TO CHS forever!!!

CAPPING . . . Rick Jessee has the honor of capping senior Patsy Byer.

SENIOR CLASS WILL . . . Cheri Kelley and Derrick Miller read what their class left CHS.

Class Day

P-A-R-T-Y! . . . A few members of the class take time to recall the parties at Payne's Camp.

GRANDMA VIA AND GRAMPA WAYNE . . . These two old fogies reminisce about their good times at CHS!!

This year, Class Day at CHS was very entertaining. It started off with Wayne Humphries and Debbie Via reminiscing about "Jungle Jane" Whiteside and Joan Graghead played the starring role. Later, came the skit about the parties at Paynes' Camp. Now, who could ever forget those great times? Next, came the reading of the Senior Class Will by Cynthia Hunter and Bonnie Puckett. Some of the teachers and students were left some real "NICE AND SWEET" gifts.

The assembly ended with the traditional capping ceremonies. Each year, a Senior selects a Junior or a relative to place his cap on his head. Each takes his place at the end of the stage and meets in the middle. When the capping is over, the Juniors take their places in the "Senior section" of the auditorium. After the Seniors had marched out, the Class of '77 followed while the Alma Mater was played.

Kathy Hite finds out just how hard it is to check out with Mr. Lee around.

"Isle of Golden Dreams"

GRAND MARCH . . . Gary Whitmer, Cheri Kelly, Jerry Maynard, Donna Craft, Rick Jessee, Tammy Crawford, Sidney Hutchins, and Susan Slaton participate in one highlight of the evening.

PROM ROYALTY . . . John Bell and Emmy Crawford were chosen as King and Queen by the Senior class.

The Junior class spent many long and tiring hours planning and decorating for the Junior-Senior Prom. Under the direction of Mrs. Edith Noel, Mrs. Rhea, Chuck Lockhard, Jean Anderson, and a few other helpful teachers, this year's prom became a dream come true for many excited Seniors and quite a few anxious Juniors. Plans for the decorations were handled by Mr. Kyle Keyser and his art classes. The theme was appropriately chosen as "The Isle of Golden Dreams" as many found a long awaited reality behind their "golden dreams".

Entertainment for the evening consisted of a vocal selection by a group of Juniors including John Holloway, Debra Laudermilk, Karen Abshire, and Miss Karen Williams at the piano. They sang the theme song of the Class of '76: "Theme from Mahogany" or "Do you Know Where You're Going To?" following a skit centered around the class song. John Bell and Emmy Crawford were selected as King and Queen for a night.

Over all, the prom was enjoyed by all who attended.

JOHN WAYNE the II? . . . Stanley Griffith brings back memories from the 50's in the Jr. class skit.

Creates Beautiful Memories for Seniors

DO YOU KNOW WHERE YOU'RE GOING? . . . John Holloway tries to find some meaning to this question.

WHERE'D YOU GET YOUR GOWN? . . . These "beauties" seem dressed a little odd for a prom.

Anxious Juniors; Excited Seniors

GOLDEN DREAMS . . . Cheri Kelly and date, Stan Parahm create memories of their own on a very special night.

ANXIOUS SENIORS? . . . Many await the bewitching hour of midnight when the fun just begins.

SALUTATORIAN . . . Carol Carter

As the close of another school year approached, the class of '76 prepared for their departure with pride.

On the night of June 2, 108 smiling seniors received a well deserved award — their diploma.

The big event took place in Curfman Hall as friends and relatives of the graduating seniors looked on. Joseph Green was named Valedictorian while Carol Carter was named Salutatorian. Wayne Humph-

CLASS OF 1976 . . . **First Row:** C. McLaughlin, L. Hardy, B. Noel, J. Craghead, W. Heighter. **Second Row:** M. Drudy, K. Munsey, S. Crawford, S. Smith, C. Hunter, V. **Row:** J. Neal, K. Twitty, E. Bane, K. Alfred, D. Via, T. Reynolds, D. Meeks, R. Abshire, O'Rourke, J. Groome, D. Craft, T. Crawford, C. Kelley, K. Gibson, S. Slayton, K. M. Swartz, G. Whitmer, G. Whitehead, A. Brisendine, S. Harter, K. Higgins, D. Offen- **Row:** D. Halsey, S. Pleasant, A. Hillmer, M. Smith, J. Bell, D. Huffman, M. Linton, P. W. Ward. **Seventh Row:** C. Twitty, R. Harlowe, J. Maynard, G. Willis, P. Morgan, D. L. Smith, L. Arritt. **Eighth Row:** D. Miller, T. Rock, H. Myers, D. Buckland, P. Harrison,

ALUMNI AWARD . . . Wayne Humphries was named the Outstanding Boy Graduate.

Humphries, M. Switzer, G. Jefferson, T. St. Clair, C. Carter, G. Jensen, P. Byer, L. Balser, D. Megginson, B. Puckett, E. Crawford, R. Weese, M. Switzer, D. Hepler. **Third** M. Maynard, K. Arritt, J. Crizer, A. Ratliff, W. Woodson. **Fourth Row:** K. Jackson, L. Hite, G. Pierce, J. Gilbert, D. Persinger, G. Wheeler, D. Willis. **Fifth Row:** W. Meeks, backer, B. Crowder, S. Clatterbaugh, M. Brown, D. Slayton, G. Ferris, P. Robinson. **Sixth** Hinton, S. Halsey, R. Smith, S. Tyree, T. Smith, T. Blakey, B. Ridgeway, G. Luckett, Stewart, M. Clutter, L. Smith, M. Mcknight, J. Stinespring, T. Seldonridge, J. Payne, W. Kayser, E. Cash, M. Warren, D. Cobbs.

VALEDICTORIAN . . . Joseph Green

ries and Lisa Hardy were named Outstanding Boy and Girl as they were presented with the Alumni Awards.

Surely 1976 will be a year to remember for the seniors. Although the good times of high school life are over for these students at Covington High the memories will always linger within their hearts as they go out to face the world. Its a big world and they are willing to compete against the thousands of people out there. After all, they have a lot to offer!

ALUMNI AWARD . . . Lisa Hardy was named the Outstanding Girl Graduate.

FACULTY

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Mr. Trumbo And Staff Help Run CHS Smoothly

Mr. Whitney Trumbo . . . Principal

Mr. Wilbert Lee . . . Assistant Principal

Maintaining order within the halls of CHS, Mr. Trumbo keeps the students in line with the help of Mr. Lee.

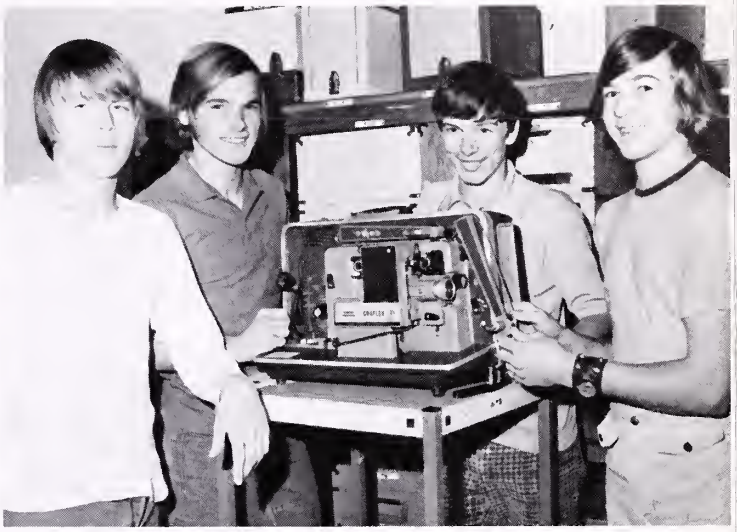
The office secretaries are there to assist also. Performing many tasks, they are a great help to the school.

Mrs. Joanne Williams . . . Secretary

Mrs. Brenda Holloway . . . Secretary

School Is Kept In Good Condition

Laura Smith . . . Student Assistant; Mrs. Mary McClanahan . . . Librarian; Miss Marlene Reynolds . . . Assistant to the Librarian.



Larry O'Rourke, William Woodson, William Smith, and Ralph Law . . . Audio Visual Assistants.

CUSTODIANS . . . Robert Morris, Roy Markham, Jimmy Thompson.

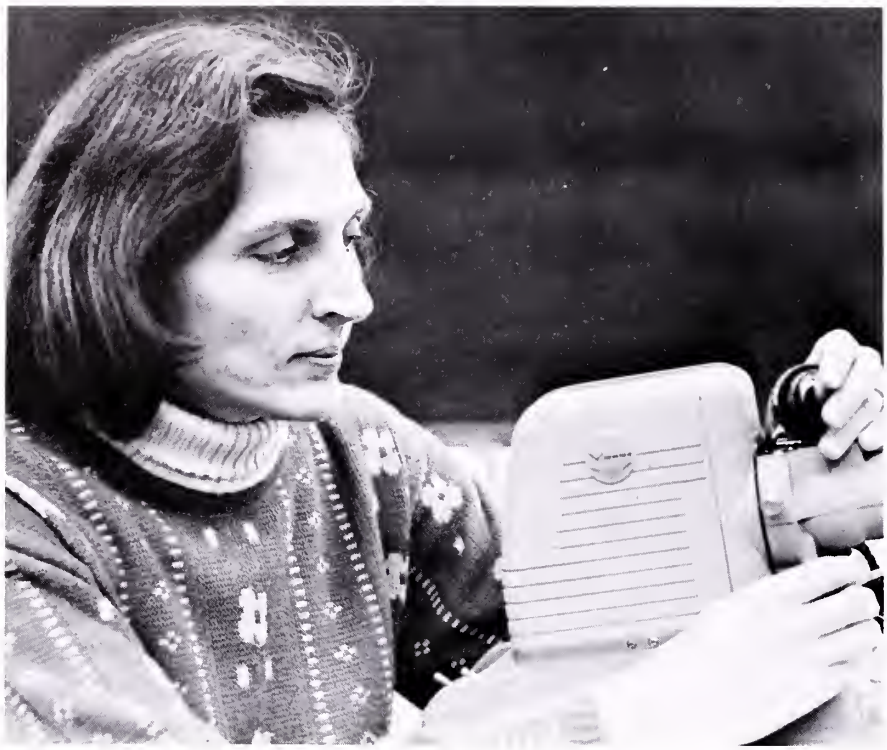
CAFETERIA STAFF . . . Mrs. Comer, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Henning, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Bland, and Mrs. Dressler.

The custodial and cafeteria staffs help to keep CHS running smoothly. Everyone appreciates the fine work they do.

Students and teachers find the library to be a good place to catch up on their reading. The librarians help them to choose interesting books.

Always on the job delivering equipment to classes, the audio visual assistants are a big help also.

It seems that CHS is well taken care of!



Mrs. Mary Mustoe . . . Government and History

Mr. Lewis Venable . . .
Civics and Geography

Faculty

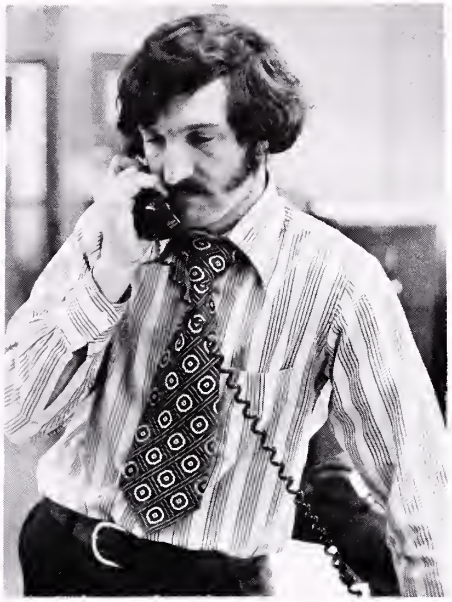
Mrs. Harriet Hepler . . .
Home Economics and Science IA

Mr. Mark Phillips . . . Biology and General Science
Mr. John Woodzell . . . Biology

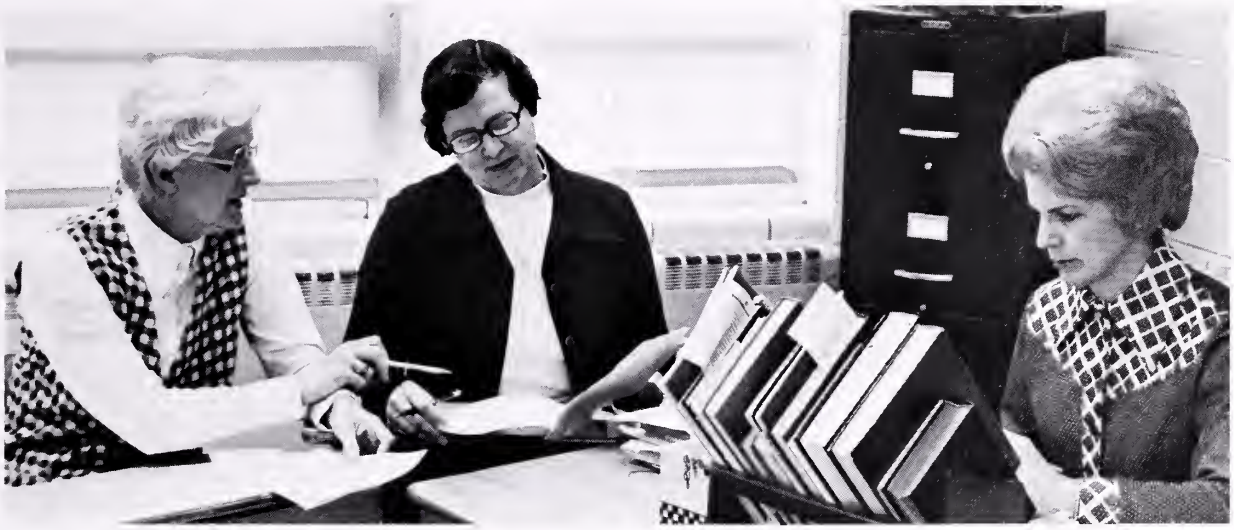
Striving hard to educate hundreds of students in various subjects, the faculty of CHS works hard. Consisting of forty-eight members, this group of well known people help to make our school a better place. They have a great influence upon the student body of CHS as they help them to build a good place in society.

Mrs. Mamie Hall . . .
Homemaking

Mr. John Clemmer . . .
History



Mr. Richard Fuhrman . . .
Guidance Counselor and
Physical Education



Mrs. Betty Littleton, Mrs. Jane Whiteside, and Mrs. Carolyn O'Conner . . . English

Mrs. Alicia Plott . . . Spanish

Mrs. Sandra Nuckols . . . Vocal

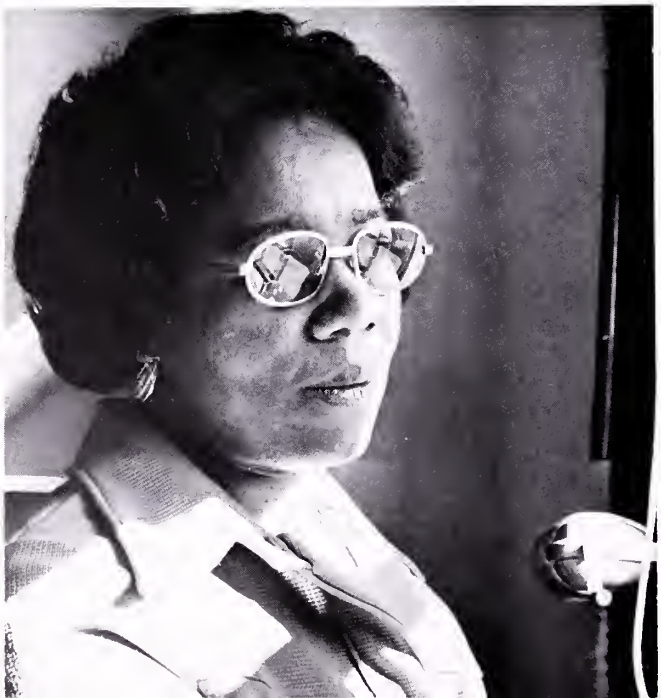
Mr. Sanford "Bo" Carper and Mr. James Fore . . .
Driver Education and Physical Education

Mr. Leonard Rose . . . Distributive Education

Mr. John Reynolds . . .
Government and Civics

Mrs. Brenda Uzzell . . .
World History and World Geography

Mrs. Helen Harris . . . French and English



Mr. Steven Cokerham . . .
Physics, Physical Science, Science IVA

Miss Connie Goad . . .
Physical Education

Mrs. Virginia Blankenship . . .
World Geography and English II

Faculty Numbers 48

Miss June Beninghove . . .
Health, Physical Education,
and Driver Education

Mr. John Mills . . . Earth Science

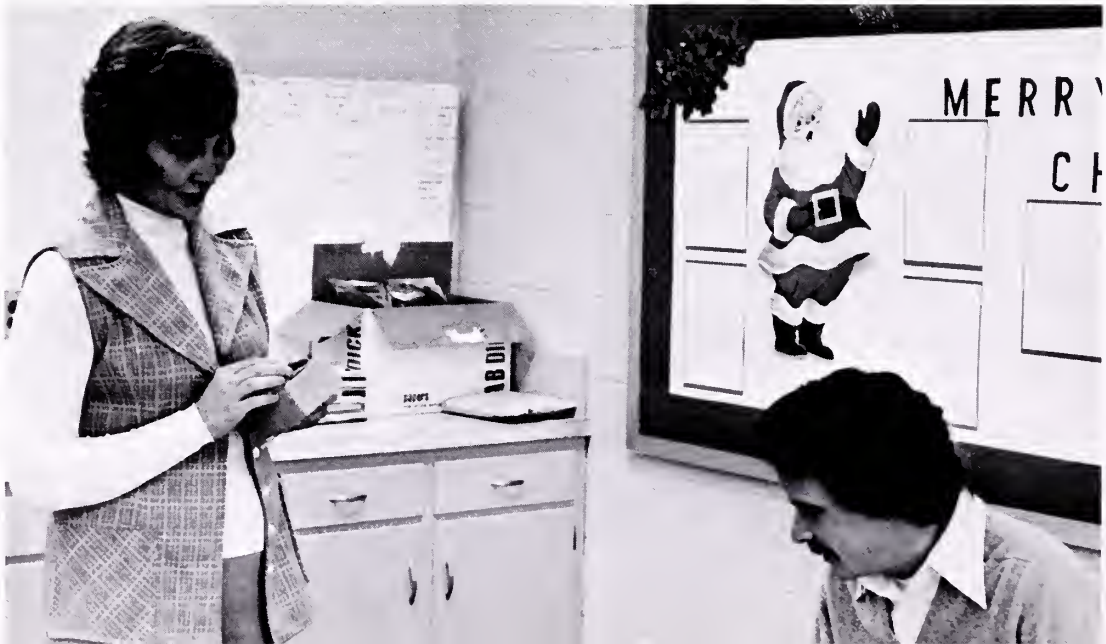
Mr. Kyle Keyser . . . Art

Mr. Phillip Douglas . . . Woodworking

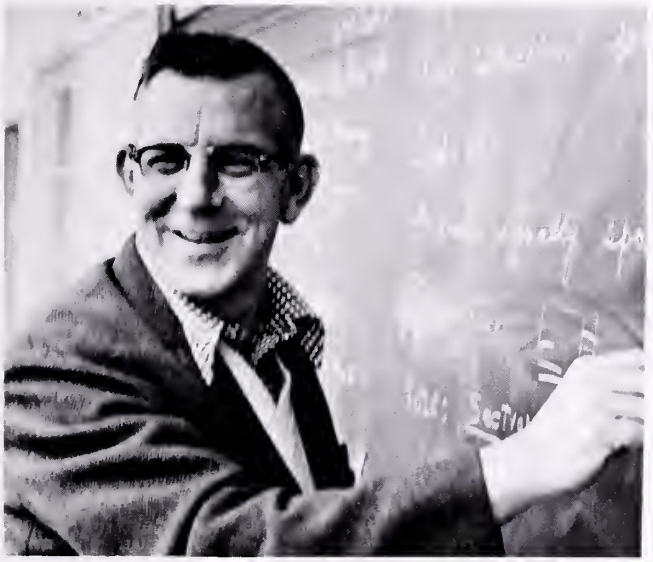
Mr. George Hill . . . Director of Guidance

Miss Cathy Eaton . . . English

Mrs. Margaret Sams . . . Typing and Bookkeeping
Mr. William Salyers . . . Typing and General Business



Mrs. Margaret Ives . . . Math

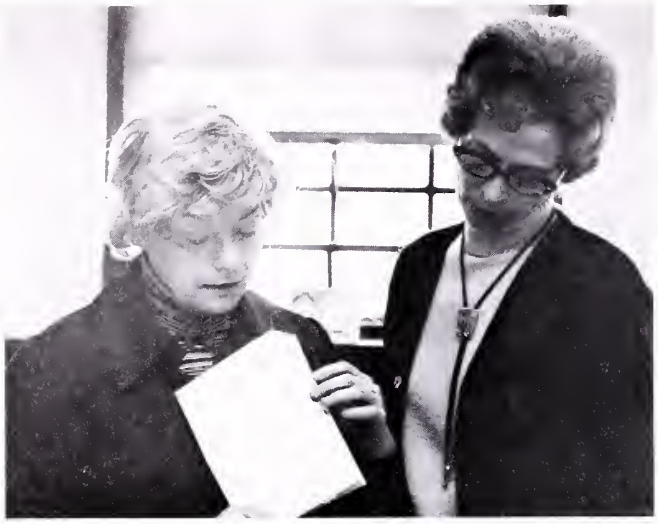


Mr. Jean Anderson . . . Mechanical Drawing, Architectural Drawing, and Industrial Arts

Mr. Thomas Harris . . .
Chemistry, Chemistry Study, and Math IIA

Mrs. Louise Burks . . . Study Hall

Mr. Charles Hammond . . .
World Geography and Economics

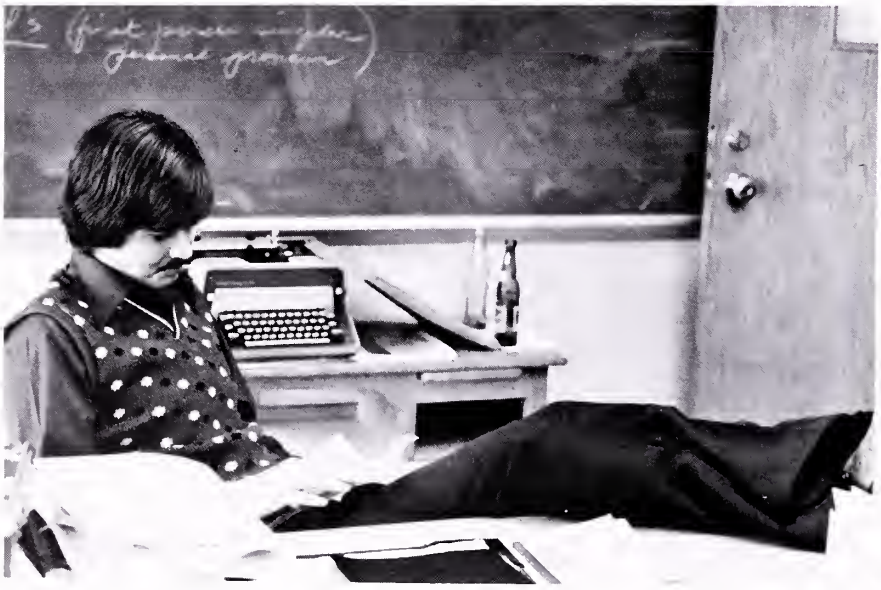


Mrs. Ruth Cvizic . . .
Advanced Composition, English, and Counseling

Mrs. Edna Friel . . . Math

Mrs. Rebecca Rhea . . . Math

Miss Karen Williams . . . Math



Mr. Charles Lockard . . . English and Yearbook

Mr. Steven Lawrence . . .
Vocal III, Music Theory, and Band

Mr. Leonard Ray . . .
Special Education

Mr. Rodney Spradlin . . . Physical Education

Mrs. Edith Noel . . . Math

Mrs. Nancy Stuart . . . English

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Senior Class of '76 — Never to be Forgotten and Destined for Success!

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS . . . Class President Barbara Noel, Vice President Garland Jefferson, Secretary Lisa Heighter, and Treasurer Lisa Hardy.

The Senior Class of 1976 will long be remembered at CHS, not only for their outstanding contributions to athletics but also for their remarkable academic achievements. This class came to CHS in '71 with high hopes and goals already set; this class was determined to be the best in everything they did.

This class always stuck together, in hopes that many would speak louder than one; their voice was always heard. Goals were set high and even though some thought them out of reach these same goals were always attained. Friendship and harmony were theirs. Their spirit of accomplishment will always remain in the empty halls and the hearts and minds of those they left behind.

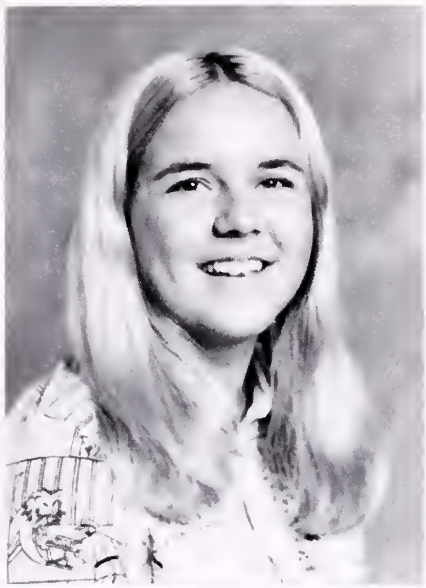
This class was the first ever to sponsor a **free Prom** for both juniors and seniors. Sure it took a lot of hard work for what seemed a lot of years but this was another symbol of a great class. This same class held a **Senior Class Day Assembly** that proved to be very amusing and enjoyable. This class was the first at CHS to **buy** and **keep** their **caps and gowns,** and also the first to have their diplomas presented to them in **diploma covers** so that they might be preserved more easily. The Senior Class left CHS both a **new American flag** and **a Bicentennial flag** to remember them with.

The graduating Senior Class of 1976 owes much to its fine sponsors, without whose help none of these accomplishments would have been possible, and to all of its fine officers throughout its time at CHS.

We leave Covington High School proud and in parting we wish to say thank you for this opportunity and for cherished memories!!!

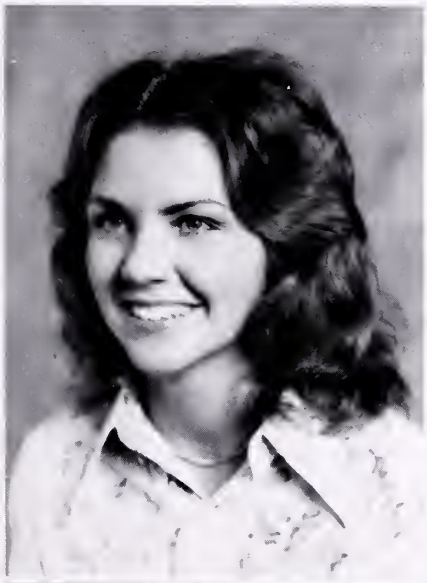
SENIOR CLASS EXECUTIVE BOARD . . . Matt Drudy, John Payne, Bonnie Puckett, Patsy Byer, Susan Smith, Lisa Hardy, Barbara Noel, Garland Jefferson, Sally Crawford, Carrie McLaughlin, Kathy Alfred, and Lisa Heighter.

ROBIN DENISE ABSHIRE
FHA 1,2,3, Director of Social Events 3, Miss FHA Candidate 2,3, Home-Ec. Superlative 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5,; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5, Treasurer 4; Executive Board 4; Ms. Jayteens 5; Va. Girls' State Delegate 4; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Graduation Usher 4; SODA 4; Annual Staff 4,5, Co-Editor 5; Homecoming Court 5; Miss CHS Candidate 5.



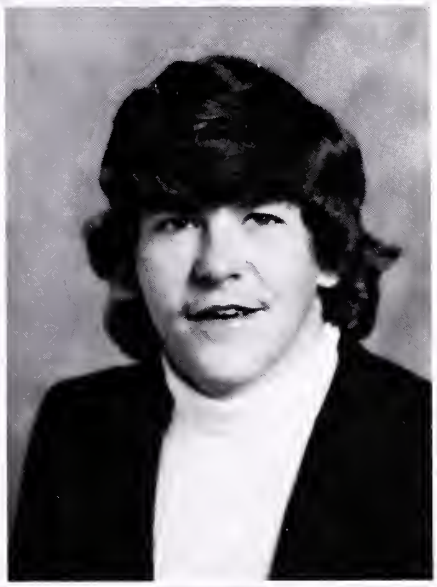
KATHY LEIGH ALFRED
Spanish Club 2,3, Executive Board 4,5; Cheerleader 1,2, Captain 1; Ms. Jayteens 3,4,5, Sergeant-of-Arms 4, Chaplain 5; Who's Who Among American High School Students 4; Pep Club 1,2,3, Pep Sheet Editor 3; FHA 1; FBLA 3; Class Executive Board 4,5.

HAFFORD LEE ARRITT, JR.
JV Baseball 2; Spanish Club 2,3.



WILLA KATHERINE ARRITT
FHA 1; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Ms. Jayteens 5; FBLA 4; Powder Puff Football 5.

VICKI FRAME BALSER
Pep Club 1,2; Spanish Club 2,3; SCA 1; Flag Corp 3, 4, Captain 4; Band2, 3,4; Vocal 1,2,3,4, 5; Powder Puff Football 4; Vocal Superlative.



EDWARD KEITH BANE
Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1,2; Baseball 2,3,4; K.V.G. 2,3,4,5; Varsity Club 2,3,4,5; Jayteens 4,5.

JOHN F. L. BELL, III
Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1; Track 3; Jayteens 3,4,5, Vice-president 5; Snow Queen escort 3,4,5; Monogram Club 3,4; Monogram escort 3,4; SODA 4,5; Powder Puff Football Coach 4; SCA Representative-at-Large 5; Who's Who 4; Homecoming escort 5.

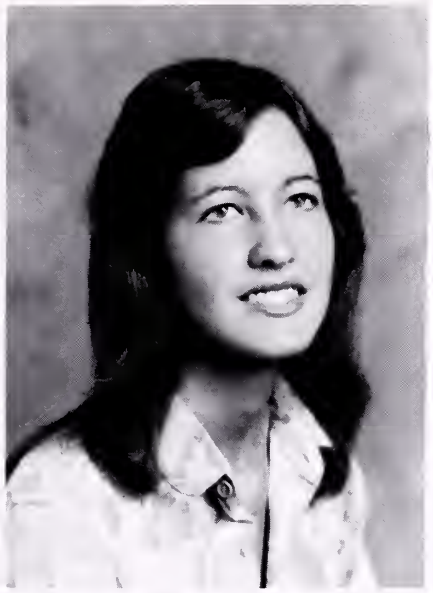
ROBERT HOWARD BOONE
KVG's 3,4; D.E. Club 5.

ANITA GALE BRISENDINE
Art Club 1; FHA 3.

DONALD BUCKLAND

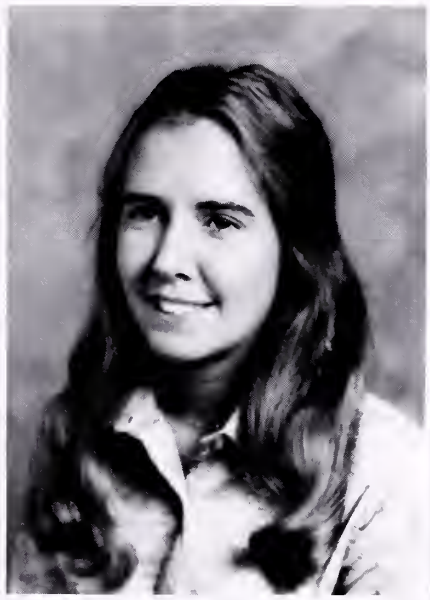
PATSY ANN BYER
FHA 1,5; SCA 2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Beta Club 4,5, Secretary 5; Spanish Club 3,4; Art Club 4,5; FBLA 3,4,5, Treasurer 5; Powder Puff Football 4; Senior Class Executive Board.

EARL McDOWELL CASH, JR.
Football 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 2; D.E. Club 3,4,5; KVG's 3,4.



SUSAN GALE CLATTERBAUGH
Spanish Club 2,3,4,5, Executive Board 4,5, Vice-president 5; Pep Club 2,3,4; Ms. Jayteens 5; Powder Puff Football 4; Forensics 5; SCA 2,5; Interclub Council 5; Who's Who 4; Band 1,2,3,4,5.

MARY ANN CLUTTER
Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Pep Club 1,3; FHA 1,2; FBLA 3,4; Ms. Jayteens 5; Who's Who 4; Annual Staff 5.

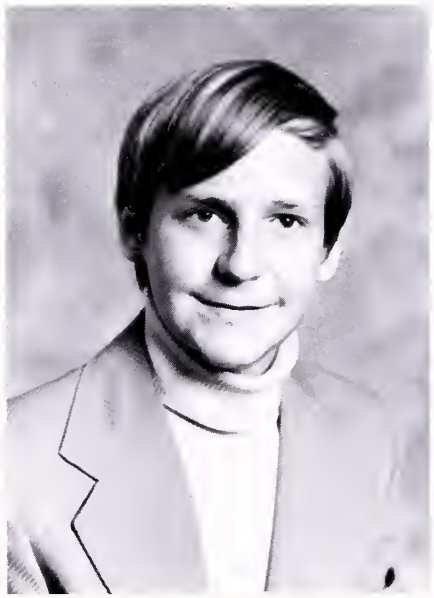


DARIUS ALONZA COBBS
Vocal 1; French Club 2,3,4,5; Wrestling 1; Vocal 1.

DONNA LYNN CRAFT
Band Uniform Committee 2; Band Uniform Chairman 3,4,5; Pep Club 3,4,5; FBLA 3,4; Class Secretary 4; Powder Puff Football 4; Band 1,2,3,4, 5.

JOAN LYNETTE CRAGHEAD
Cheerleader 1,2, Co-captain 1; Pep Club 1,2,3; Matmates 1; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Majorette 3,4,5, Head Majorette 5; Beta Club 4,5, President 5; SCA 2,4; Junior Class Executive Board; Junior Marshal; Ms. Jayteens 4,5; Homecoming Court 5; Snow Queen candidate 3; Governor's School for the Gifted 4; Who's Who 4; Miss CHS candidate 5; Vocal 1,2, Pianist 3; Scholastic Award 2,4.

EMMY LOU CRAWFORD
Cheerleader 1; Pep Club 1,3; Art Club 2,3,4,5, Treasurer 3, Vice-president 4; FBLA 3,4,5, Vice-president 4, President 5; SCA 3; Interclub Council 4; Monogram Queen 3; Homecoming Court 5; Powder Puff Football 4; Snow Queen court 4; Snow Queen candidate 5; Who's Who 4; Miss CHS candidate 5.



SARAH ANN CRAWFORD
Spanish Club 2,3,4,5, Vice-president 4; Ms. Jayteens 3,4,5, Historian 4, Treasurer 5; Pep Club 3; Powder Puff Football 4; Who's Who 4; Art Club 5; Snow Queen candidate 5; Senior Class Executive Board.

TAMMY LEE CRAWFORD
FHA 1,5; Pep Club 1,3,4; SCA 2; Spanish Club 2,3,4; FBLA 3,4,5, Secretary 5; Art Club 4,5; Snow Queen candidate 5; Mardi Gras court 3; Powder Puff Football 4; Monogram Queen candidate 4; Who's Who 4; Homecoming Queen candidate 5; Miss CHS candidate 5; Annual Staff 4,5.

JUDITH LEIGH CRIZER
Pep Club 1,4,5, Pep Sheet Editor 4,5; Art Club 3; FBLA 3,4; D.E. Club 5, Treasurer 5; Miss CHS candidate 5; Vocal 1.

REBECCA KAY CROWDER
FHA 2; FBLA 3; D.E. Club 3,4,5.

MATTHEW DRUDY
Football 1,2,3,4,5, Co-captain 5; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Jayteens 3,4,5, Treasurer 5; Golf 4,5; Class Executive Board 3,4,5; Varsity Club 3,4,5, Vice-president 4, President 5; KVG's 3,4,5; Volleyball 5.

GARLAND LEE FERRIS
Tennis 5.

CECIL RANDOLPH FURLONG
SCA 2,3; D.E. Club 3,4; Track 3.

DEBRA GIBSON

KATHY SUE GIBSON
FHA 1,2, Parliamentarian 2; D.E. Club 3,4,5, D.E. Girl of the Year 5.

JUDITH ANN GILBERT
Cheerleader 1,3; FHA 1,2, 1st runner up — Miss FHA 2; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Ms. Jayteens 3,4; Powder Puff Football 4; Spanish Superlative 4; Monogram Club 3; Varsity Club 4,5.

JOSEPH HOWELL GREEN
Spanish Club 2,3; Basketball 3; Baseball 2,3; Forensic 5; Beta Club 5; Jayteens 5.

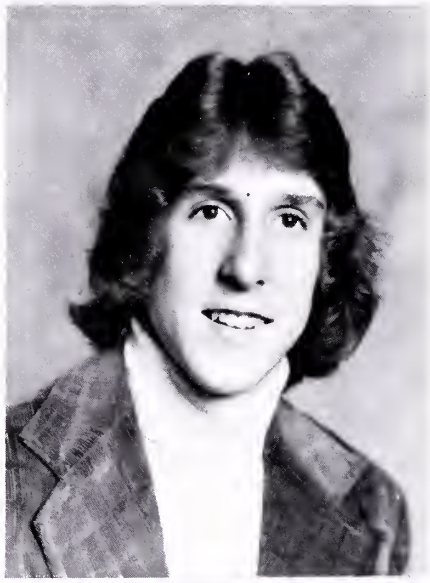
JOHN TYLER GROOME
Football 1; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Pep Club 3; Beta Club 4; Band 1,2,3,4.

DAVID WADE HALSEY
Assistant Drum Major 3; Head Drum Major 4,5; Band President 5; All-Area Band 3; Band 1,2,3,4,5; Vocal 1.

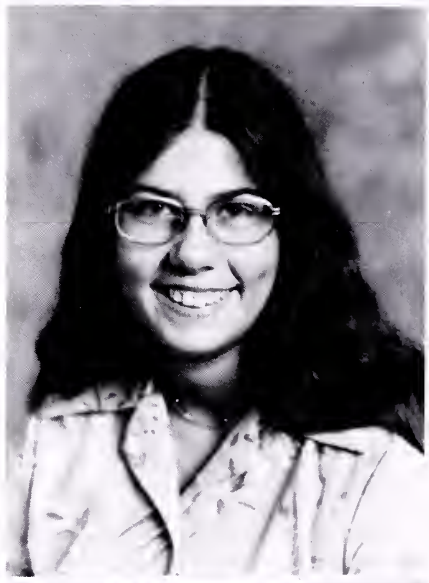
LINDA SUE HALSEY
Cheerleader 1,2,3; SCA 3; FHA 1,2,5, President 5, Reporter 2; Track 3,5.

LISA KAE HARDY
Pep Club 1,2,3, Pep Sheet Editor 3; FHA 1; Matmates 1; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5, Executive Board 4, Newspaper Editor 4; Ms. Jayteens 3,4,5, Treasurer 3, Vice-president 4; Class President 1; Class Treasurer 3,5; Class Executive Board 4; Snow Queen Princess 2,3, Snow Queen candidate 5; Banner Girl 3; SODA 4,5; Girls' State Delegate 4; Track 4; Junior Marshal; Beta Club 5; Homecoming Queen 5; Who's Who 4; Miss CHS candidate 5.

RODNEY HARLOWE



PATRICK WARREN HARRISON
Track 2,3,4; Monogram Club 2,3,4,5; Class President 2,3,4; SCA 2,3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Jayteens 3,4,5, Junior Director 4, President 5; Homecoming Escort 5; KVG's 3,4,5; Basketball 3; Indoor Track 3,4; Who's Who 4; Youth Conservation Corps 3; Art Club 5; Snow Queen Escort 4.

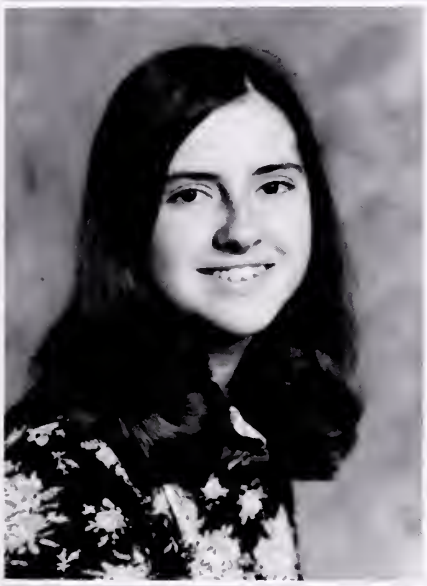


SARA LYNN HARTER
FHA 1,2,3, Social Chairman 3; D.E. Club 1,2.

LISA KELLY HEIGHTER
FHA 1,2, Officer 2; SCA 1,2,3,4,5; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Cheerleader 2,3,4,5; Class Officer 2,4,5; Homecoming Court 5; Miss CHS candidate 5.

DREWERY LEWIS HEPLER
Vocal 2,3.

KATHY LYNN HIGGINS
FHA 1; D.E. Club 1,2; Art Club 1.



KATHY LYNN HITE
FHA 1,2, Chairman of Activities 2; SCA 2,3; FBLA 3,4,5; Ms. Jayteens 4,5, Historian 5; Powder Puff Football 4.

DAVID WAYNE HUFFMAN
Football 1,2,3,5; Baseball 1,2,3,4,5; Basketball 1; Wrestling 3; Jayteens 3,4,5; Monogram Club 2,3,4,5; KVG's 3,4,5.

REGINALD WAYNE HUMPHRIES
SCA 1,2,3,4,5, Executive Board 4,5, President 5; Class Treasurer 1; Class Vice-president 4; Who's Who 4; Beta Club 4,5; French Club 1,2,3,4,5, President 4; Pep Club 3,4,5, Vice-president 4; Tennis 4,5; Volleyball 5; Forensics 3,4,5; Jayteens 4,5, State President 5; Governor's School 3; Boys' State Delegate 4; Annual Staff 4,5; Co-editor of Yearbook 5; Snow Queen Escort 5; DAR Award 5; Junior Marshal 4; Scholastic Award 1,2,3,4; SODA 4,5; Class Executive Board 4; Powder Puff Cheerleader 4; Varsity Club 4,5.

CYNTHIA DENISE HUNTER
Spanish Club 2,3,4; Cheerleader 3; Annual Staff 4,5; SODA 5.

SIDNEY STUART HUTCHENS
Football 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 1,2; SCA 2; KVG's 1,2,3,4,5; Monogram Club 3,4; Vocal 5.

GARLAND RANDOLPH JEFFERSON
Basketball 1,4,5; Who's Who 4; Beta Club 4,5, Treasurer 5; SCA 1,2,3,5; Class Vice-president 1,5; Alfredo Edmead Award 4; Spanish Club 2,3.

GRETCHEN MARIE JENSEN
Band 1,2,3,4,5, Treasurer 5; All-Area Band 1,2; All-Regional Band 2,3,4,5; Band Superlative 3,4; Scholastic Award 1,3; Beta Club 4,5, Vice-president 5; Powder Puff Football 4; Who's Who 4; Junior Marshal 4; English Superlative 1; Phys. Ed. Superlative 1; Math Superlative 2,4.

WALTER HERBERT KAYSER
Football 2; French Club 2,3; KVG's 3,4,5; Jayteens 4,5.

CHERI LYNN KELLEY
Cheerleader 1,2,3,4, Secretary 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5, Secretary 4; Monogram Club 1,2,3,4; Class Treasurer 2; Class Secretary 3; Track 3; "Daisy Mae" 4; Who's Who 4; Art Club 5, President 5; FHA 5, Chairman of Activities 5; Homecoming Court 5; SCA 5; Family Leader of Tomorrow Award 5; Miss CHS candidate 5.

RICHARD STEVEN KEMPER
Football 1; D.E. Club 4.

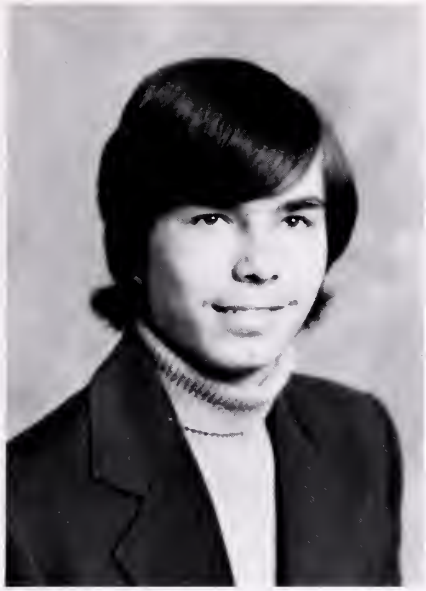
LESLIE LAWSON

MICHAEL GENE LINTON

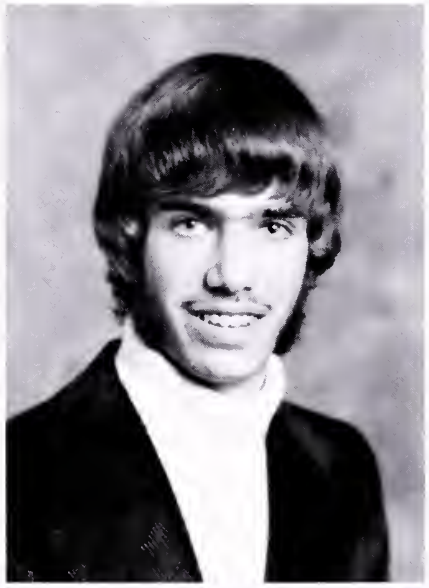
GEORGE McDONALD LUCKETT
Football 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 4.

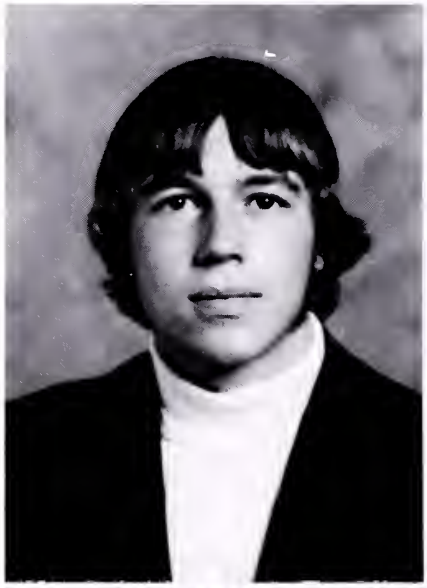
CARRIE JEAN McLAUGHLIN
Spanish Club 4,5; King Fellow 4; Ms. Jayteens 5; Senior Class Executive Board; Homecoming Court; Tennis 5; Junior Marshal 4; (Basketball 1,2, Captain 2; Softball 1,2; G.A.A. 1; Art Club 1,2,3,5; SCA 1; Coulter Hall SCA Co-Chairman 3; French Club 2,3; Honors Seminar 3,4; Civic Action Club 2, Secretary 2; Human Relations Council 2).

JERRY LAYNE MAYNARD
Basketball 1,2,3; Jayteens 3,4; Art Club 1,2,3,4.



"Seeking means to have a goal





DEBORAH LYNN MEEKS
Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5, Secretary 1; Matmates 1; Spanish Club 2,3; Ms. Jayteens 5; Vocal 1.

DERRICK RICARDO MILLER
Wrestling 2; French Club 2; Spanish Club 4,5; Jayteens 5; SCA 4,5, Vice-president 5; Band 4,5; Forensice 4,5; D.E. Club 3; SODA 4,5; Boys' State Delegate 4; Upward Bound 3,4,5; Basketball Manager 2; Class Executive Board 4; Volleyball 5.

WILLARD HILTON MEEKS, JR.
Football 1,2; Basketball 3,4,5; Indoor Track 2,4; Outdoor Track 1,2,3,4,5; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5, President 4; Varsity Club 2,3,4,5; Band 2,3,4,5; Drum Major 4; All-Area Band 2,3; Pep Club 2,3; Jayteens 3,4,5; Who's Who 4; Snow Queen Escort 3,4.

KENNETH DALE MUNSEY
Baseball 1,2,3,4,5; Football 1; French Club 2,3,4,5; Jayteens 3,4; Monogram Club 2,3,4,5; Homecoming Escort 5; Class Vice-president 3.

DENISE ANNETTE MEGGINSON
Basketball 2; Volleyball 4; Cheerleader 5; Home Economics 1,2,3; Spanish Club 4,5; SCA 5; FHA 1,2,3.

BERNARD HANFORD MYERS, III
Band 1,2,3,4,5; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Jayteens 4,5; SCA 4; Football 5; "Little Abner" nominee 5; Who's Who 4; Powder Puff Cheerleader 4.

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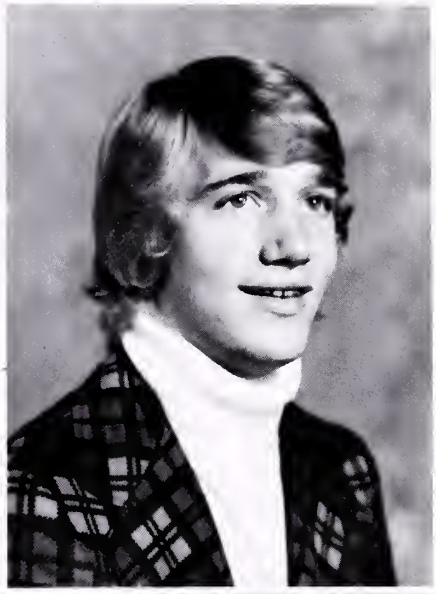


JON LANCE NEAL
Football 2; Wrestling 2,3,4; Jayteens 4,5, Senior Director 5; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Baseball 2; Pep Club 2,3; Varsity Club 2,3,4,5; KVG's 4,5, Team Leader 5; Vocal 1,2,3,4, Regional Chorus 2; Snow Queen Escort 5.

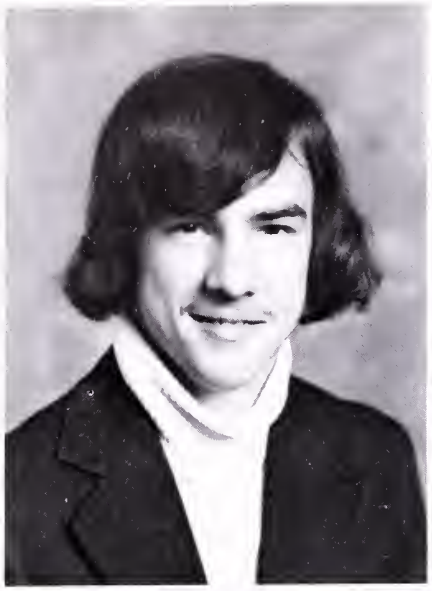
LARRY EDWARD O'ROURKE
Basketball 1; Baseball 2,4,5; Monogram Club 2,4,5; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Jayteens 5; Homecoming Escort 5; KVG's 4.

BARBARA JO NOEL
Cheerleader 1; Pep Club 1,2,3; FHA 1; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Ms. Jayteens 3,4,5, Junior Representative 4, Vice-president 5; Powder Puff Football 4; D.E. Club 5, President 5; SCA 4,5; Class Executive Board 4,5; Class President 5; Snow Queen Court 2,4,5; Homecoming Court 5; Miss CHS candidate 5.

WILLIAM PARKER

PATRICIA DIANNE OFFENBACKER
Pep Club 1; FHA 2; FBLA 5, Vice-president 5.

JOHN PAYNE
Football 1,2,3,4,5, Captain 5; Track 1,2,4,5; Wrestling 2,3,4,5, Captain 5; Jayteens 3,4,5; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Varsity Club 2,3,4,5.

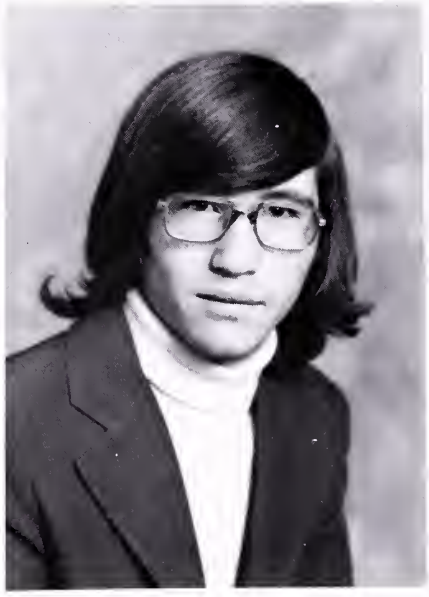


DENNIS RAY PERSINGER
KVG's 2,3,4,5; Football 1; Varsity Football Manager 2,3; Wrestling Manager 2; SCA 1; Baseball 3.

GLORIA DAWN PIERCE
FHA 1,2, Chaplain 2; SCA 1,2.

JACKIE PLOTT
Varsity and JV Basketball Manager 3.

JOYCE YVONNE PUCKETT
Cheerleader 3,5; Pep Club 1,2,3,5; Band 1,2; Art Club 3; FBLA 3,4,5, Vice-president 5, Executive Board 4,5; Ms. Jayteens 4; Monogram Queen 5; Homecoming Queen candidate 5; Snow Queen candidate 5; Interclub Council 5; Miss CHS candidate 5.

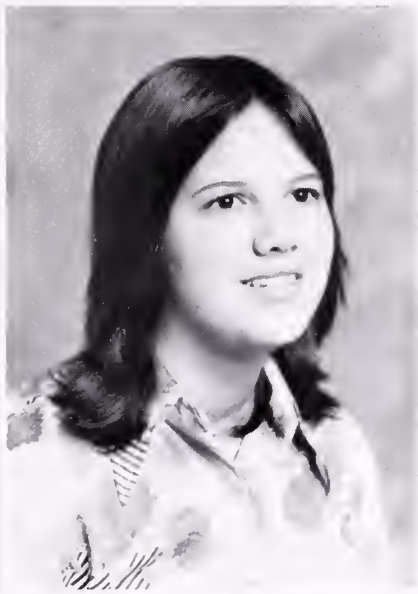


AARON WAYNE RATLIFF
Baseball 3; Football 5; Spanish Club 4,5.

RONNIE REED

TINA LOUISE REYNOLDS
Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; FHA 1; FBLA 3,4; Class Executive Board 4; Ms. Jayteens 5.

JERRY ALLEN RICE
KVG's 4; D.E. Club 5.

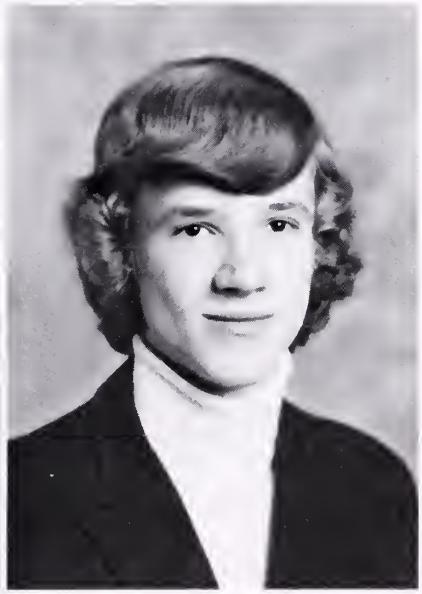


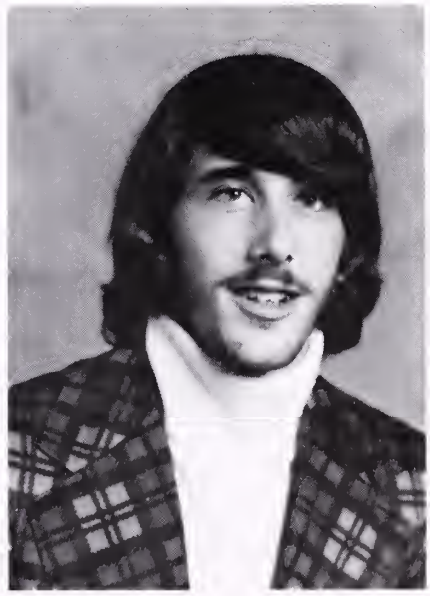
PERRY GRANT ROBINSON
Baseball 1; Basketball 1; Spanish Club 3; Track 4.

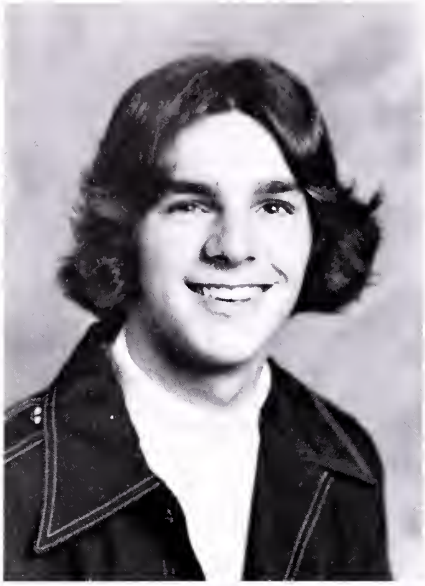
TIMOTHY WAYNE ROCK
Spanish Club 2,3,4; Tennis 5.

TIMOTHY DAVID ST.CLAIR
French Club 2,3; Industrial Arts Superlative 1; Beta Club 4,5, Reporter 5; Varsity Club 5; Scholastic Award 1,2,4; Algebra II Superlative 4; Architectural Drawing Superlative 4; Track 4,5; Junior Marshal 4; Who's Who 4; Powder Puff Cheerleader 4; SODA 5; KVG's 3,4,5; Jayteens 4,5; King College Award 4; Mechanical Drawing Superlative 3.

TONY LEE SELDOMRIDGE
Football 1; Baseball 1,2,5; Basketball 2; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4,5.







DARRELL WAYNE SLAYTON
Football 2,4.

SUSAN GRACE SLAYTON
Art Club 1,2,3,4,5, officer 5; Basketball 1,2; Spanish Club 4,5; Powder Puff Football 4; Flag Corp 3,4,5, Co-captain 4, Captain 5; Vocal 4,5; Band 3,4,5; Phys. Ed. superlative 2.

LAURA LINETTE SMITH
Art Club 1; French Club 2,3,4,5; Math superlative 3.

Dreams start to materialize and

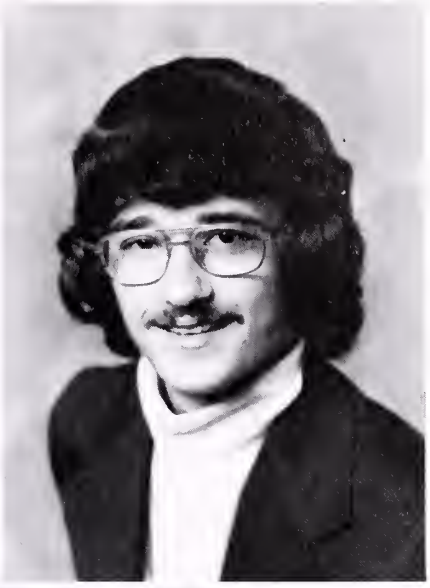
MARC WAYNE SMITH
Football 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4,5, Captain 5; Outdoor Track 2,3,4,5; Indoor Track 4; All-Area Track 4; Jayteens 3,4,5, Director 3; Vice-president 4; Spanish Club 3,4,5; Varsity Club 2,3,4,5; Snow Queen escort 3,4,5; Homecoming Queen escort 5; Who's Who 4; Art Club 5; Pep Club 2,3.

ROBERTA LEE SMITH
FHA 1; FBLA 3,5; Vocal 2,3,4; SCA 2,3.

STEVEN SMITH

SUSAN YVONNE SMITH
Ms. Jayteens 4,5, State Secretary 5; Spanish Club 4,5; Class Executive Board 5; Who's Who 4; Powder Puff Football 4.

DARLENE COLETTE STEWART
Basketball 1,2,3,4,5.



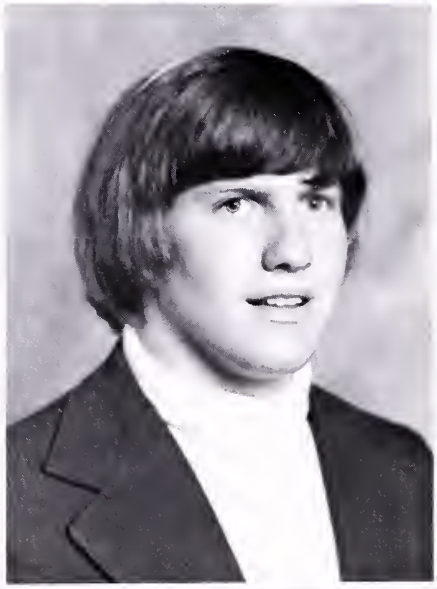
J. C. STINESPRING
D.E. Club 4,5; Football 3.

the future doesn't seem so distant

MICHAEL WAYNE SWARTZ
Spanish Club 2,3,4,5; Pep Club 2,3,4; Football and Basketball Manager 2; Varsity Club 3,4,5; Jayteens 3,4,5; Tennis 4,5; Who's Who 4.

MARK EDWARD SWITZER
Vocal 1,2,3; Music Makers 3; Spanish Club 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4,5; Wrestling 2; Basketball 1; KVG's 3.

MICHAEL EDWARD SWITZER
Band 1,2,3,4,5, All-Area 1,2, All-Regional 5; Spanish Club 2,3,4,5, Reporter 5; Beta Club 4,5; Science superlative 1; Powder Puff Cheerleader 4; Who's Who 4.



SHARON TUCKER

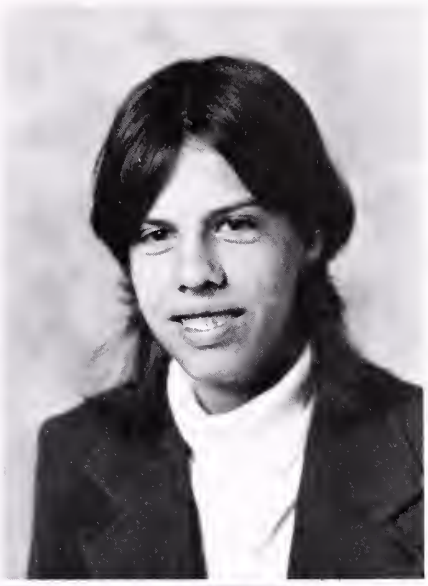
WILLIAM JOSEPH WARD
Football 1,2; Basketball Manager 2; Monogram Club 2,3,4; Baseball 3; Spanish Club 3.

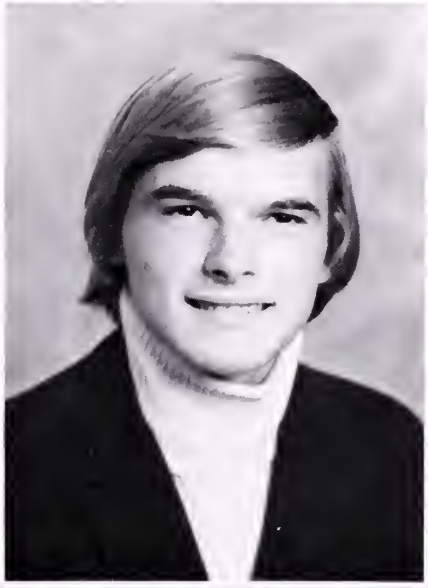
SANDRA LYNN TYREE
Cheerleader 1; Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Ms. Jayteens 3.

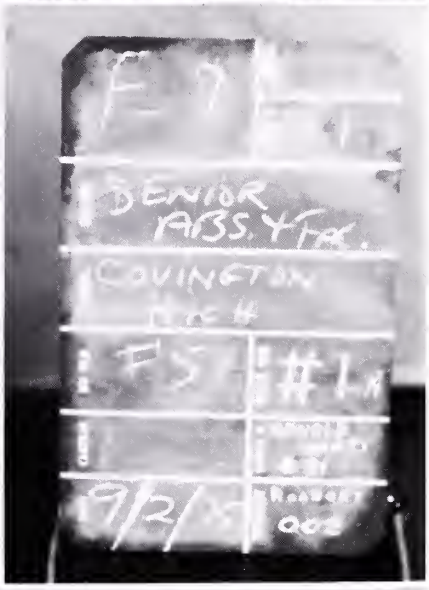
MICHAEL RAY WARREN
Football 1,2,3,4,5, All Blue Ridge District Center 3,5, All Timesland Center 5, All Area Center 3,4,5, All Area Defensive End 4, All Area Co-Captain 5; Basketball 1; Baseball 2,3,4,5; French Club 2,3,4,5, Vice-president 5; Jayteens 3,4,5, Chaplain 5; Who's Who 4.

DEBORAH ANN VIA
Basketball 1,2,3,4,5; Volleyball 4,5; Track 4; Ms. Jayteens 4,5, President 5, State Sergeant-at-Arms 5; Varsity Club 3,4,5; Powder Puff Football 4; Annual Staff 5.

ROBIN WAYNE WEESE
Football 1,2,3; KVG's 2,3,4,5; D.E. Club 3,4,5, President 4.







GARY LEE WHEELER
D.E. Club 2,3.

GORDON MEADE WILLIS
Track 1,2; Spanish Club 2,3; D.E. Club 4; KVG's 3,4,5.

GARY WAYNE WHITEHEAD
Football 1; KVG's 3,4; D.E. Club 4,5, Treasurer 5.

WILLIAM WOODSON
French Club 2,3,4,5; KVG's 4; D.E. Club 4,5.

DAVID ALAN WILLIS
D.E. Club 5.

THAT'S ALL FOLKS!

Senior Academic Superlatives

ART . . . Paul Morgan.

ADVANCED COMPOSITION . . . Joe Green.

PHYSICS . . . Joe Green.

HOME ECONOMICS AND CONSUMER HOMEMAKING AND FAMILY LIVING . . . Cheri Kelley and Sue Halsey.

BAND . . . Joan Craghead, David Halsey, and Gretchen Jensen.

ENGLISH . . . Wayne Humphries and Joe Green.

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION . . . Kathy Gibson.

SPANISH II AND IV . . . Mike Switzer, Judy Gilbert, Carrie McLaughlin, and Denise Megginson.

U.S. GOVERNMENT . . . Wayne Humphries.

ALGEBRA II, SENIOR, AND CONSUMER MATH . . . Laura Smith, Joe Green, and Judy Gilbert.

The Most, Best, and —est in the

MOST ATHLETIC . . . Darlene Stewart and Garland Jefferson demonstrate their immense wealth of athletic ability by tossing a ball back and forth, and by even catching the ball sometimes!

MOST TALENTED . . . Donna Craft and David Halsey prove that they really are talented by their walking an unbelievable five inch curb; that takes talent alright!

BEST ALL AROUND . . . Tammy Crawford and John Bell show how versatile they can be! Note how skillfully John manuevers the garbage can that Tammy is riding in!

Super Senior Class of 1976!

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED . . . Gretchen Jensen and Wayne Humphries show you how they were ear-marked for success from the beginning — they know how to handle money!

MOST SCHOOL SPIRITED . . . Cheri Kelley and Keith Twitty always supported the Cougars in every sport they undertook. It's too bad that the two of them never spoke again after they screamed their lungs out at the first football game!

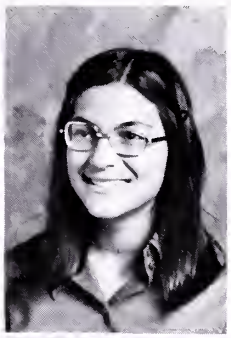
FRIENDLIEST . . . Emmy Crawford and Larry O'Rourke were two very congenial people and everyone enjoyed being around them. It was too bad they were so shy and afraid to socialize!

4 down 1 to go

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS . . .
Pres., Susan Albert
V. Pres., Dennis Rose
Sec., Kathy Haynes
Treas., David McCormack

The Juniors started the year off with the election of class officers. Susan Albert was chosen to head the class as president. Dennis Rose was selected to assist her as vice-president. David McCormack served as treasurer and Kathy Haynes was elected as secretary. In order to raise money for the prom, the officers along with the members of the class began selling Christmas candles and candy. These sales proved to be very successful and added greatly to the small treasury. For the first time, many juniors took the Preliminary Aptitude Test and the National Scholarship Test, and more such as these.

All juniors look forward to the time when they, like those before them, will wear their class ring. It is a symbol of great achievement and a lot of hard work. They symbolize not only age, but a sense of maturity. No longer do they try to cut line without getting caught or pop milk cartons in the cafeteria. No, they have respected their titles as "Juniors" and have grown-up enough to know what responsibility really is. They keep the same thought in mind: "FOUR DOWN, ONE TO GO!!"



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Julia L. Altizer
Boyd M. Anderson
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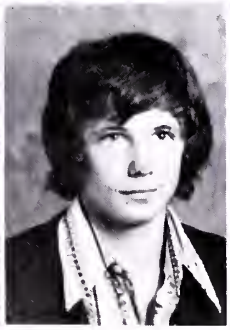
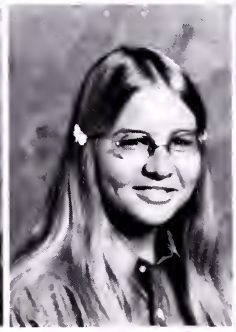
Teresa L. Bland





Richard A. Bowen
Trenton A. Burkholder
Michelle R. Burks
Pamela L. Byer
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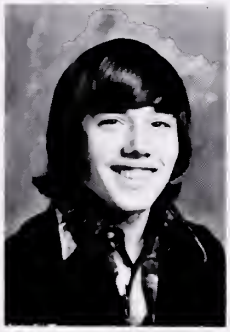
Timothy A. Dick

Gregory J. Dill

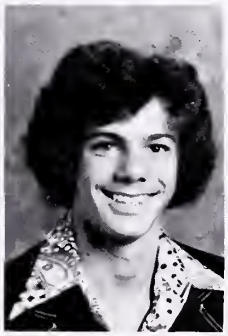
Marie D. Dooley



Ronald E. Downer, Jr.

Brenda S. Ehrishman

Randa E. Fenderson



Bradley W. Fitzgerald

Margaret M. Gallagher

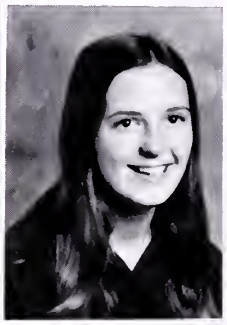
James N. Garcia

Lisa G. Garten

Barbara An Gibson

Juanita R. Gibson

WE GOT THE SPIRIT . . . (clockwise) Pete Rigney, Tammy Tingler, Randy Mills, and Carolyn Wade try things a little different for a change.



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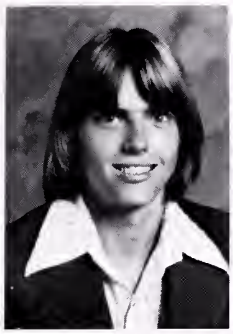
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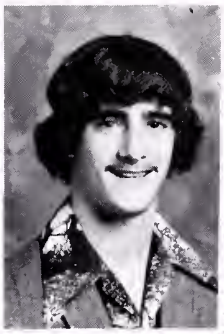
Ronald R. Hosey

Mark R. Huddleston

Laura B. Humphries

SOS . . . Benny Anderson enjoys his "Same Old Slop" during lunch in the cafeteria.

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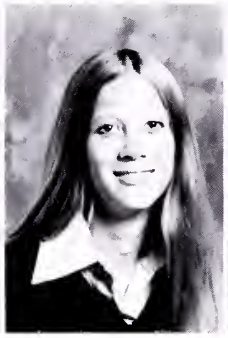
Richard E. Jessee

Lester R. Jeter

Denise S. Johnson

Faye G. Jones

Linwood F. Jones



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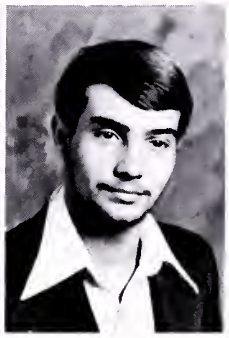

Mark K. Knick

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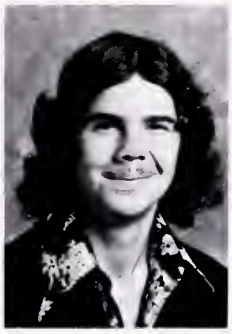
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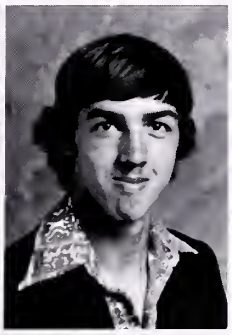

Morris D. Martin

Carole A. Mayo

David W. McCormack

Rebecca S. McCully

Betty L. Miller

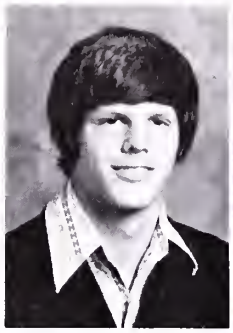
THIS IS THE WAY . . . David McCormack does his tasks in Mr. Clemmer's 4 o'clock city.

Peggy S. Miller

Richard E. Neal

SKIPPING? . . . Not Hardly. David Hubble and "Linus" Honts enjoy a new privilege of leaving after 3rd.

FANS . . . Ricky Jessee and Pete Rigney show Mr. Phillips THEIR appreciation.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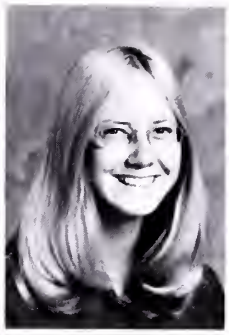
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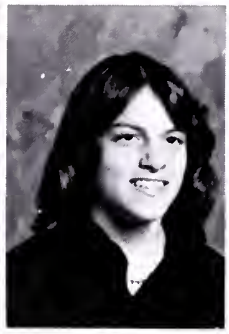
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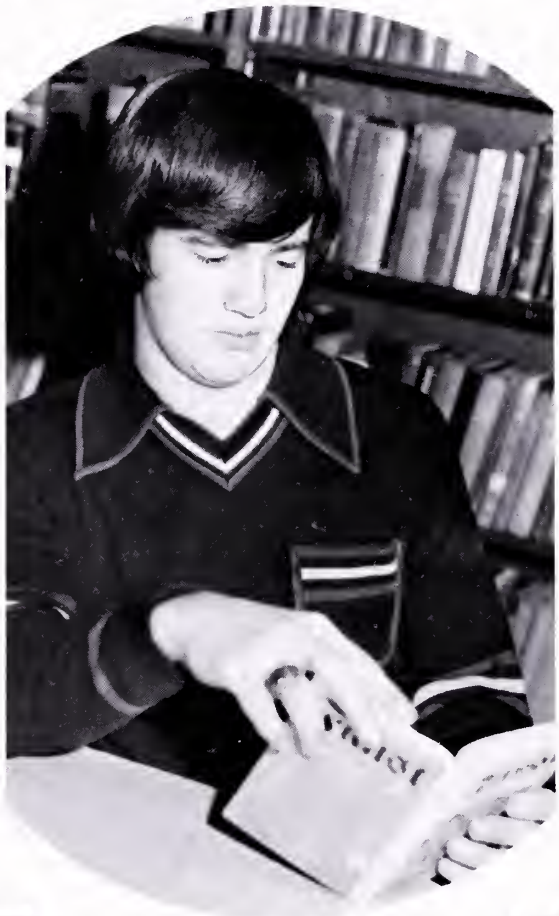

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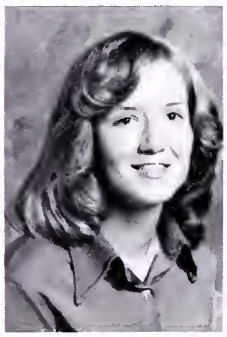

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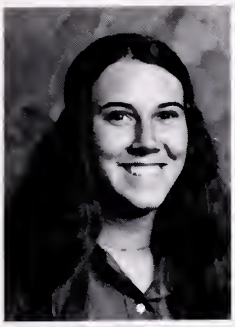
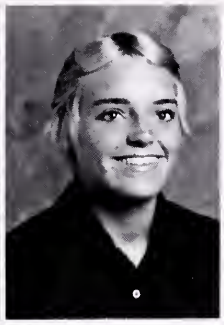

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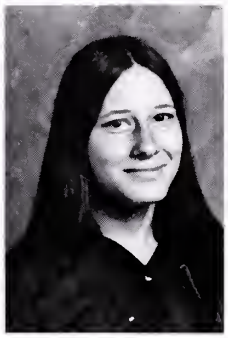

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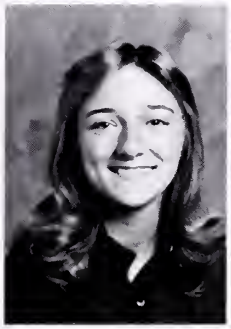

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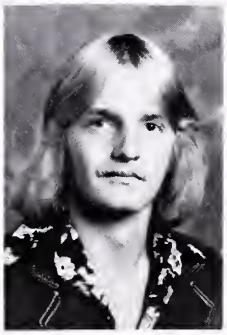

Ella L. Traylor

Carolyn E. Wade

Daniel L. Walton

Pamela L. Warren

James C. Williams

George H. Wood

OFFICERS . . .
Neil Huffman
Pres.
Tammy Downer
V-Pres.
Brenda Martin
Sec.
Lena Anderson
Treas.

Sophomores Class of 1978

As the sophomores of Covington High School enter their third year they are in the middle man position. Being there, they are being challenged by many things. Among these are Biology, where you learn how to dissect frog and crayfish. The boys seem to like this, but the girls are very cautious of the smelly and ugly creatures.

As the year goes by the students remember "the good old times" such as being excited about going to the big high school with all the students and stern teachers. Now this excitement has turned into a everyday routine.

These students now look forward to receiving driver's permits and class rings next year. They realize that their lives are every changing and that the past year has been more rewarding than demanding after all.

Frederick Albrecht Jr.
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Lena M. Anderson

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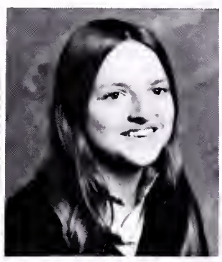
Wayne W. Andrews

Teresa L. Ayers
Deborah G. Baker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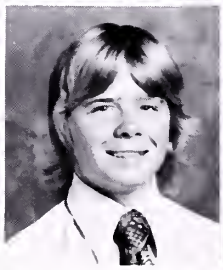

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Guy M. Clark
Tamara J. Cook
Vicky L. Counts

Bonnie S. Craft
Paul L. Crizer
Janie K. Curtin
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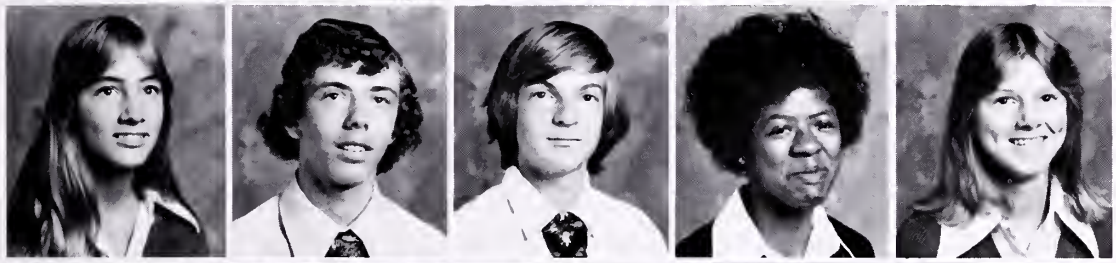

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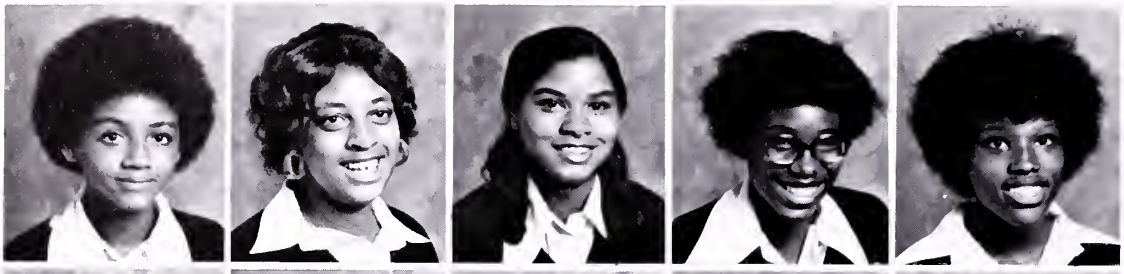

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Doreatha A. Jordon

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Robin G. King
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Julie Lacks
James E. Laws

Ronald F. Laws
Robert W. Lawson
Rita R. Lemon
Catherine L. Lipes
Gregory A. Lipscomb

Angela M. Loan
Susan R. McDonald
Robert C. Madison
Brenda G. Martin
Debra L. Martin

John W. Martin
Jeanne C. Matics
Hazel M. May
Connie S. Maynard
David L. Mayo

Cheri J. Miller
John L. Miller Jr.
Todd H. Moore
Larry D. Morgan
Nelson T. Myers

Three Down Two to Go!

Robert E. Myers
Anthony E. Nicely
Kevin O. Nicely

Wayne E. Payton
Brenda G. Paxton
Jean M. Perkins

Robert L. Perkins
Teresa M. Persinger
Richard A. Pole

YOUNG DRIVERS OF TOMORROW . . . Sophomores try to get their driver's license.

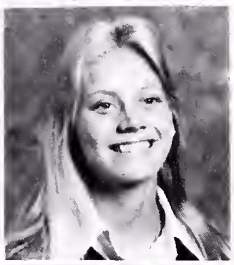
Michael W. Pullin
Tamara J. Pyle
Garnett B. Ratliff Jr.
Robin L. Ray
Pamela L. Rhodes
Zona G. Richmond
Mary J. Rickett
Robert J. Robertson
Donna K. Rock
Lola M. Ross
Jere G. Shawver
Susan J. Shifflett
Ronald W. Shue
Mark K. Smith
Susan F. Smith
Harold J. Snead Jr.
Valerie Sowers
Calvin A. Spencer

Sophomores On The Move

RUN FOR YOUR LIFE . . . Linton Townes smiles as he runs thinking of the good times in PE.

MONEY PROJECT . . . Cathy Ford tries to sell wrist bands to upper classmen.

Sophomores Are Active



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Michael A. Tingler
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Donna J. Tucker

Donna S. Tucker
Marie D. Tyree
Laura A. Uarich

Linda K. Vass
Sharon K. Via
Karen R. Waldren

Lynn M. Waldren
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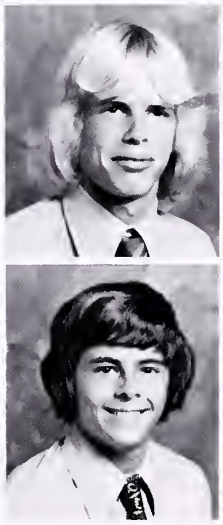

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D'ona L. Arthur

Benjamin F. Bird
Claude L. Blakey

Billy L. Boguess
Tana D. Bostic
Herbert A. Broadnax
Dwayne G. Broughman
Pynia L. Brown
Wanda C. Burns
Crystal D. Campbell

Michael A. Campbell
Lisa L. Casto
John R. Caughron
Lesia M. Chapman
Clifford O. Clark
James T. Clark
Janice M. Clark

Darcelle L. Clemmons
David D. Cook
Susan K. Cook
Craig T. Crawford
Kennith N. Davis
Vicky L. Davis
Gregory T. Dillon

Baughn D. Douglas
Stephanie L. Downey
Jo E. Dressler
Linda G. Ervin
Annette M. Farley
Lora A. Fawley
Alan M. Ferris

Freshmen Become Involved

FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS . . . Lesia Chapman, Treasurer; Susan Jamison, Secretary; Mark Huffman, Vice-President; Jay Abbott, President.

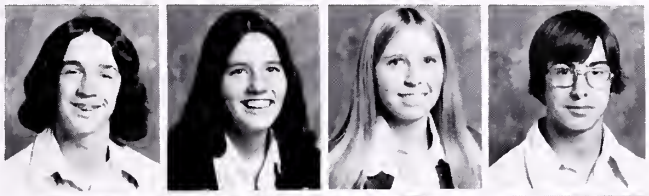
The Freshmen were a very involved and a very interested class. They quickly got into the swing of things and the pattern of life at "the high school" after being an observer for one year.

The Freshmen soon began to realize what was expected of them here at CHS and in life in general.

The studies seemed harder, the practices longer, and the rules stricter . . . but in three more years it will all be but a memory.

Mr. Charles Hammond and the class officers made sure the Freshmen had a successful year. Jay Abbott served as President; Mark Huffman as Vice-President; Susan Jamison as Secretary; and Lesia Chapman as Treasurer.

William M. Ferris
Patty A. Ford
Kathy L. Gabbert
Jeffrey W. Goodwin



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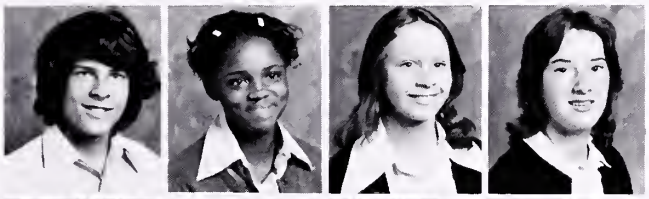

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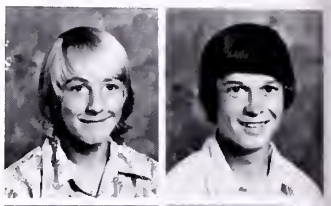
Jesse A. Hepler
Tammy G. Hicks
Terry L. Highlander
Pamela K. Hill
Maureen J. Hillmer
Keriston A. Holloway

A Year of Experience Gives

FIRST FORMAL . . . Kathy Gabbert, Sherry Nunley, and Lori Sizemore search for their first formal dress.



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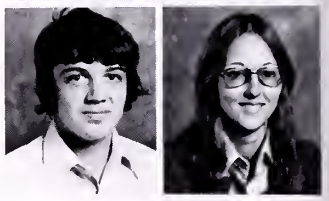
George L. Jamison



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William M. Knick
Carolyn S. Knighton
Lisa C. Lawson
Thomas A. Lear
Donna M. Mann
Cathy A. Martin

Britt A. Mays
Tanya M. Mays
Sheila L. McLaughlin
Thomas H. Meeks
Deborah S. Miller
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Vanessa L. Mills

Brenda K. Milton
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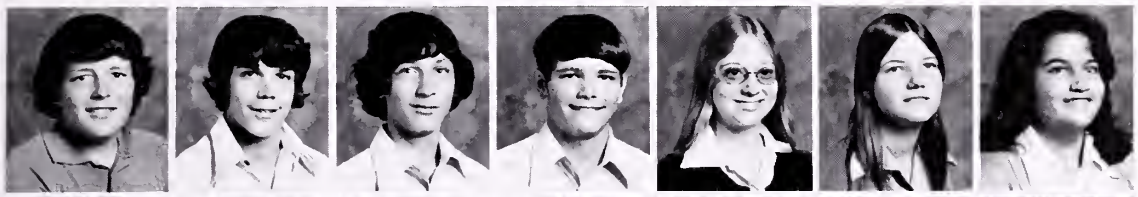
Freshmen More Social Status



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Michael D. Puckett
Paul F. Pyle
Theresa A. Pyle
Daniel P. Rader
Pamela P. Raikes

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Kenneth G. Redman
Willard J. Reid
Sandra J. Rhodes
Stephen L. Rice
Gary D. Rickett
Jack R. Rose

William K. Rose
Mila S. Sams
Michael E. Seldomridge
Ricky A. Seldomridge
Karen F. Sharp
Valerie A. Shephard
Lorri A. Sizemore

Valerie K. Sowers
Curtis H. Spath
Daniel R. Spencer
Lisa G. St. Clair
Stephen R. St. Clair
Carolyn R. Stuple

Robin L. Sweeny
Jerry R. Taylor
Robin E. Taylor
Kimberly N. Thurston
Carolyn A. Tingler
Velda L. Tucker
Rodney L. Wallace

Christopher D. Walton
Judith A. Watkins
Dorman E. Watts
John M. Waugh
Marcella E. Weade
Jerry A. Webb
Eric M. White

Gary A. White
Tammy A. White
Jacquline L. Whitmer
Lisa M. Williams
Sharon G. Witt
Suzanne S. Wood
Deborah D. Worley

Johnna Webb
V. Pres.
David Bryant
Treas.
Eyvette Twitty
Sec.
(not pictured)
Jay Perdue
Pres.
were elected
class officers

Eighth Graders "Arise"

As young people with a great amount of hope and much ambition, they became high school students.

In seeking their goals in different ways, they learned to use their youth and energy to get them ahead. Those who got the message, and some didn't, had fewer hours for "jiving", and a deeper concern for those things that really counted.

Many of them experienced success, as well as failure at times. They took them all in stride which only meant that they were maturing.

They were guilty of last minute cramming for big tests at the end of each semester. Although they grumbled and complained about food, grades, and teachers, they weren't really serious, and for the most part they loved the problems.

Susan Ailstock Kostas
Alibertes J. Susanne
Anderson, M.

Daphne Authur L.
Natalie Austin
Anthony Baker E.

Wanda Baker F.
Tereasa Baker A.
Denise Barber S.

Ronny Byrd L.
Claudett Blakely L.
Yvonne Bland

Ennett Boguess
Billy Booker

Carla Bowen M.
Michael Bowen

Barbra Bradley L.
Glenda Brewster J.

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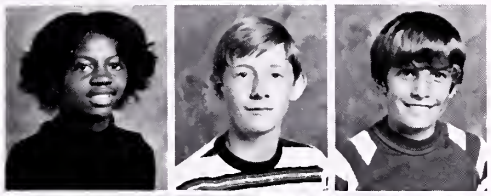

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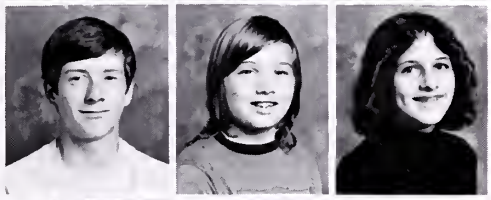

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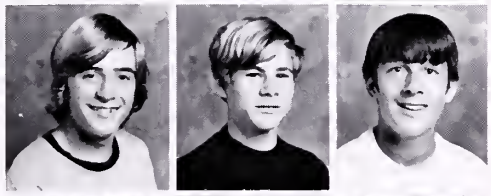

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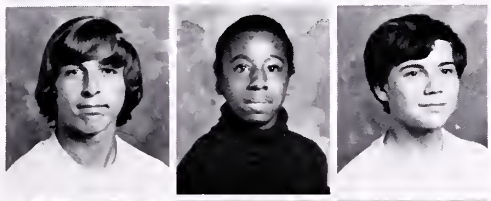

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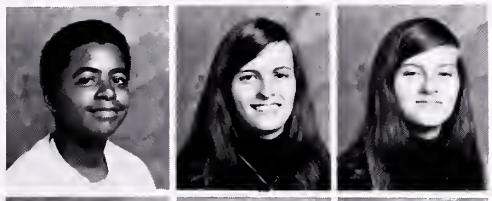

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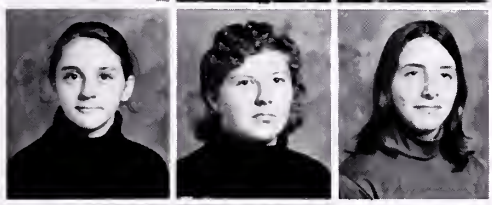

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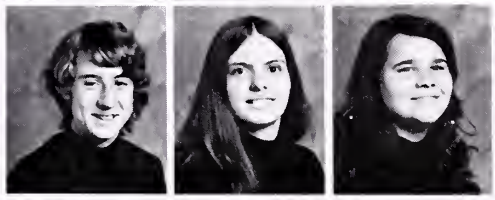

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Terri Humphries
Karen Hunter
Carolyn Jackson

Darinda S. Jackson
Angella Jefferies
Donna L. Jeter

Narvin Jeter
Deidre Johnson
James Johnson

Wayne Johnson
Debra L. Jones
Richard Jordon

Brett A. Laudermilk
Elaine Law
Teresa Laws

Tommy K. Lawson
Jeffrey W. Lear
Robert W. Lee

Powell Leitch III
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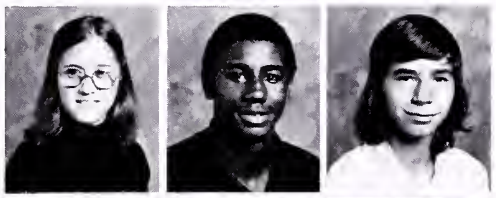

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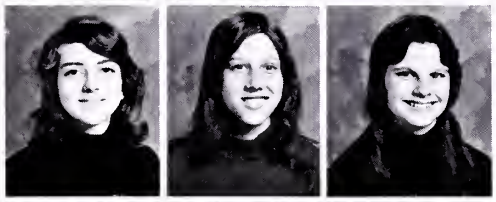

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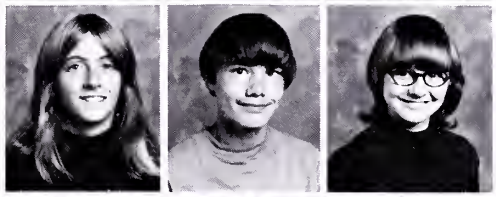

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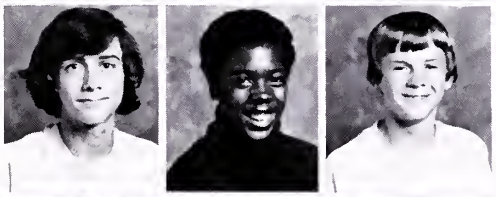

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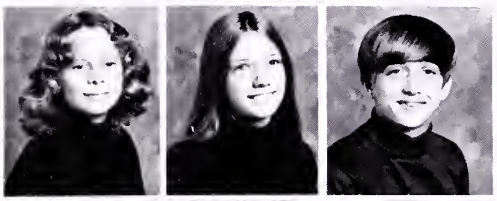
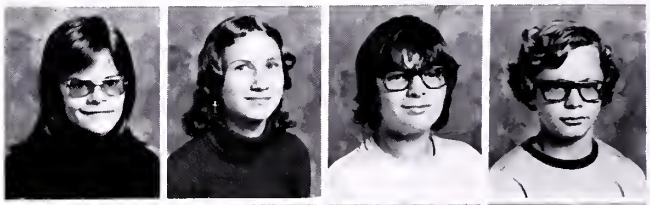


Johnny L. Peters
Sandra L. Poage
Gregory Perdue

"They come in all sizes" eighth-graders E. Mach and A. Terry display their physique.



Beth Pyle | Cynthia D. Reed | Richard A. Reynolds | David Seay

Laura Ray | Steven L. Reed | Jeffery L. Ross | Danny S. Seldmridge

'Lunch time is munch time" K. Croy and B. Pyle enjoy their 30 min. lunch break.

"A Dream Deferred" Carolyn J. daydreams of the day she would be a Senior."

Lori Slayton

Clyde S. Selmen

Anthony A. Shiffett

Randy D. Simmons

Shelldon Z. Shue

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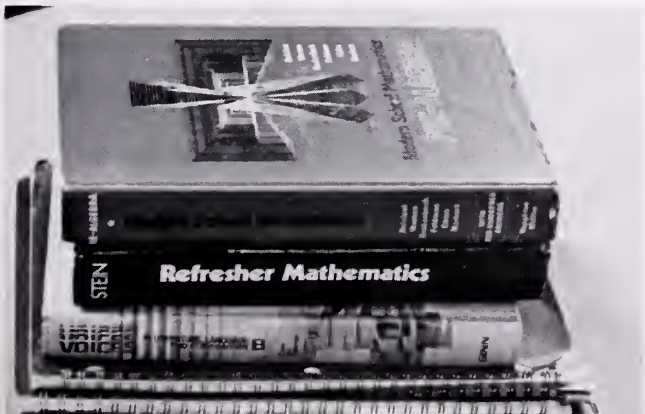
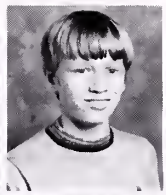
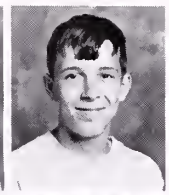
Edith E. Sizemore

"Silence Is Golden" These Books seem to be waiting for their rightful owner.







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Delbert L. Smith

Judy E. Smith
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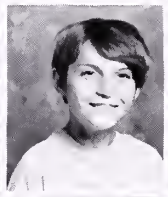
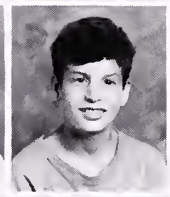
Cora A. Stewart





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James A. Terry

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Gary W. Twitty
Beverly A. Tyree

Betty L. Vance
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Darlene C. Walkins

Donna S. Walton
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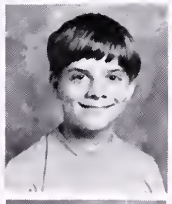


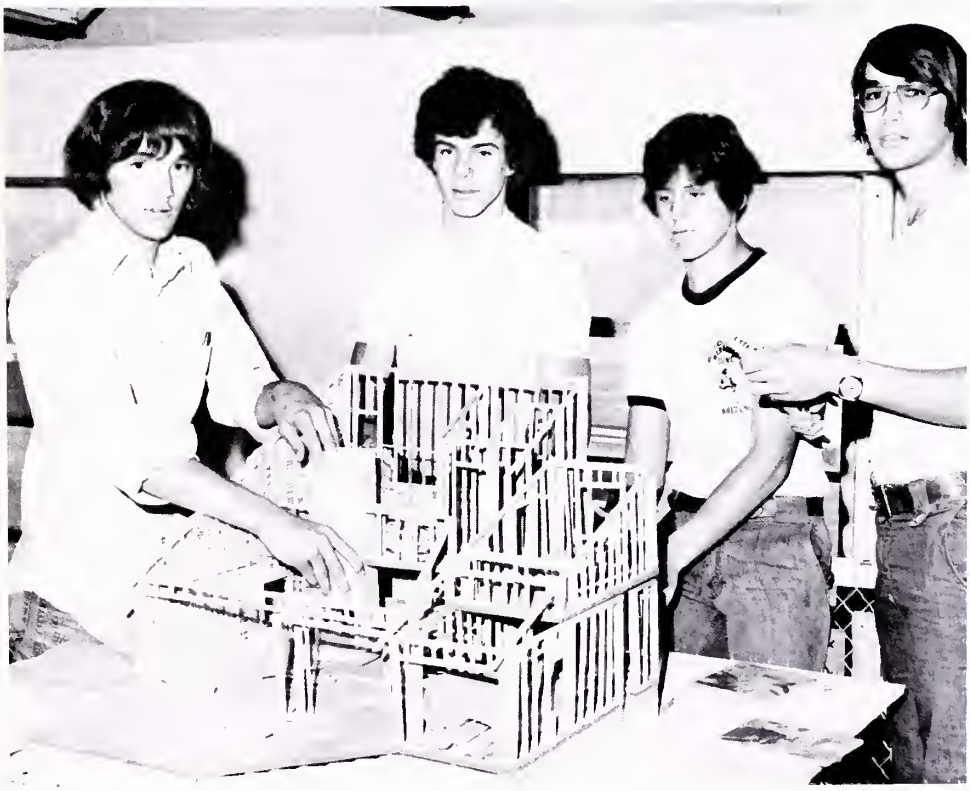
Gregory Woodruff
Robert P. Wykle
Todd A. Moody

Michael S. Vail

TYPEWRITING . . . Tammy Downer, Typing I.

Underclassmen Are Honored For Achievement

Each year teachers name students who have excelled in various subjects as superlatives. Their grade averages are of major importance but responsibility, attitude, and participation are taken into consideration by the teachers. It is not uncommon for more than one student to be named superlative, so the students share the honor. If there is no one worthy of the honor, a teacher simply does not name anyone; therefore, some subjects are not represented.



VOCATIONAL . . . Todd Myers, Woodworking II; Brad Fitzgerald, Architectural Drawing; Neil Huffman, Architectural Drawing; Ricky Lee, Mechanical Drawing; (Not pictured — Sharon Witt, Woodworking I).

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION . . . Kathy Gibson, D. E. II.

ENGLISH . . . Donna Griffith, English II, CP; Carmine Plott, English III, CP; Stanley Griffith, English IV, CP; Lisa Gilpin, English Ia; DeAnna Munsey, English II, CP; Susan McDonald, English III; Kathy Burton, English IIIa (Not pictured — Sheila Halsey, English IIIa).

FOREIGN LANGUAGES . . . Susan McDonald, Spanish II; Karen Kayser, French I; Carmine Plott, French II; Stanley Griffith, Spanish III; Marybeth Hillmer, Spanish I; Donna Griffith, Spanish 1; Jay Abbott, French I (Not pictured — Greg Lipscomb, Spanish II).

HOME ECONOMICS . . . Terry Highlander, Home Ec. II; Mollie Withrow, Home Ec I.

MATHEMATICS . . . Craig Linkous, 8th Grade Math; Donna Griffith, Algebra I; Sharon Campbell, Math III; Johnna Webb, 8th Grade Math; Karl Jensen, Algebra I; Stanley Griffith, Algebra II (Not Pictured — Ben Hubbard, Math IA).

SOCIAL STUDIES . . . Jay Abbott, World History; Kathy Bess, U.S. History; Craig Linkous, World Geography.

SCIENCE . . . Lisa Hazen, Science I, CP; Joe Hillmer, Science I, CP; Johnna Webb, Science I, CP; Craig Linkous, Science I, CP; Trenia May, Science I, CP; Geralyn Willis, Science I, CP; James Watts, Earth Science; Eddie Tombs, Earth Science; Ricky Rapp, Earth Science; Kostas Alibertas, Science I, CP; Tony Humphries, Science I, CP; STANDING Kathy Burton, Earth Science; Linda Vass, Biology; Susan McDonald, Biology, CP; Dennis Spellman, Biology.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION . . . Deanna Munsey, PE I; Linda Gurd, PE II; Jim Watts, PE III; Jere Shawver, PE III; Neil Huffman, PE III, Sam Crizer, PE III.

MUSIC . . . John Holloway, Vocal; Tammy White, Vocal; Diane Sibold, Band; Lynn Shephard, Band; Karen Abshire, Band and Vocal; Carla Grimes, Band; Vicky Hepler, Band; John Caughron, Band.

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY . . . Jerry Maynard

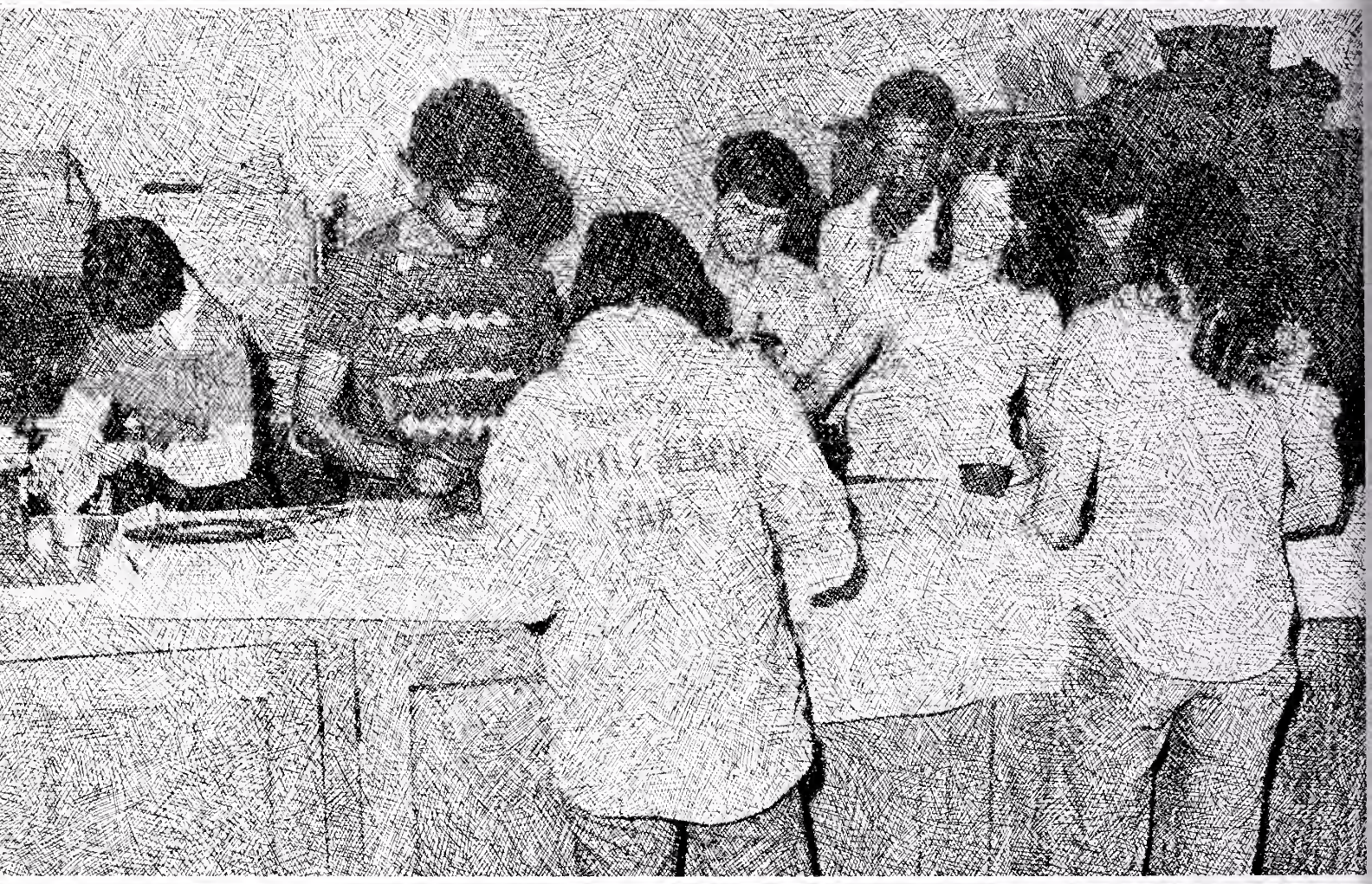
STENO-SECRETARIAL . . . Roberta Smith

COMMERCIAL FOOD TECHNOLOGY . . . Carol Carter and Darius Cobbs.

Jackson River Vocational School

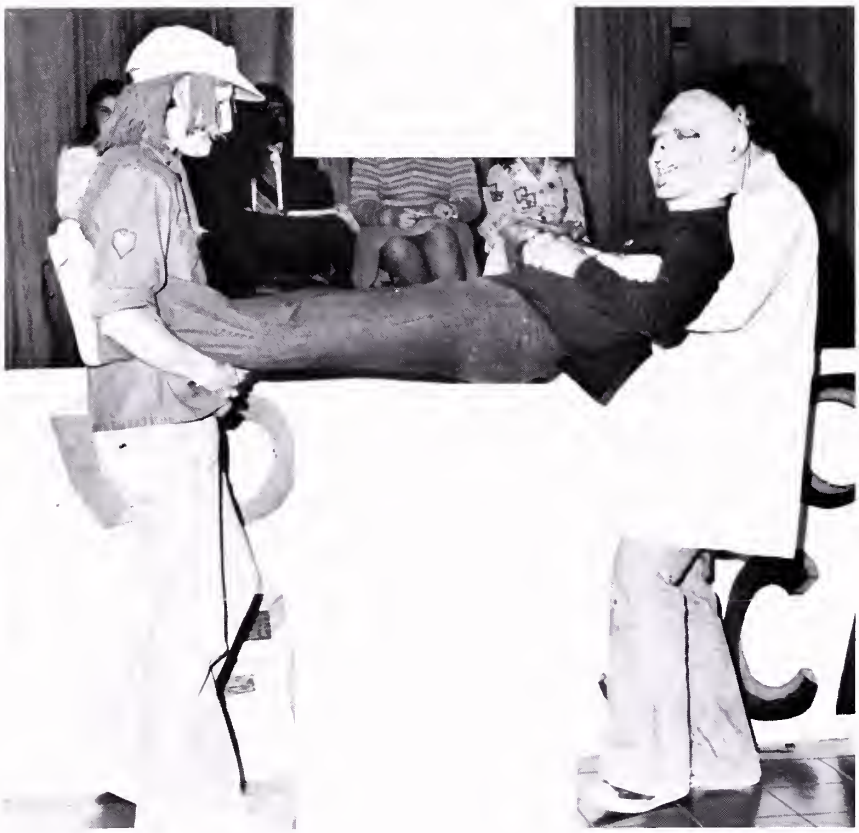
The Jackson River Vocational School has successfully completed its second year. Approximately 80 Covington students have attended JRVC since its opening. Seniors attend the vocational school from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. and juniors from 12:30 to 3:00. Seniors are awarded a certificate at the completion of their two-year course.

The school offers a variety of courses: Clerical Accounting; Typewriting and Related Occupations; Steno-Secretarial; Food Occupations; Clothing Occupation; Electricity; Metal Trades; Automotive Technology; Air-Conditioning; and Building Trades.



CLUB CLUBS

MEMBERS: B. Craft, D. Sprouse, S. Clatterbaugh, R. Fenderson, R. Bird, J. Hillmer, R. Lee, R. Rose, J. Abbott, G. Kincaid, B. Kissinger, L. Gurd, C. Plott, L. Garten, V. Hardy, N. Huffman, R. Perkins, B. Fitzgerald, T. Downer, M. Pullin, D. Hughes, P. Ford, T. Nicley, R. Seldonridge, S. Albet, K. Bess, B. Leary, R. Lemmon, L. Heighter, D. Megginson, O. Harvey, J. Bell, B. Noel, M. Burks, K. Abhire, J. Payne, A. Dressler.



Student Co operative Association

Working as a cooperative association between students and faculty, the Student Council had a successful year.

As money making projects, the SCA sold donuts, held a football raffle, and sold Cougars pins throughout the school.

The SCA held many clean up days throughout the year. Black History Week was sponsored by the SCA.

To end the year SCA elections were held. Elected as new officers were: President — Carmine Plott, V-President — David McMormick, Secretary — Karen Abshire, and Treasurer — Tammy Downer.

OFFICERS . . .
W. Humphries, Pres.
C. Plott, Treas.
D. Miller, V-Pres.
D. Hughes, Sec.

STUDENT EXCHANGE . . . Claudio visits CHS.

SODA MEMBERS . . . Lisa Heighter, Garland Jefferson, Randa Fenderson, Dennis Rose, John Bell, Cynthia Hunter, John Holloway, Lisa Hardy, Derrick Miller, Becky Griffith, Brad Fitzgerald, Pam Warren, Kay Smith, Robin Abshire, Tim St. Clair, Wayne Hunphries, Not Pictured — Carol Carter and Randy Mills.

THAT'S THE WAY . . . Mr. Lee shows Brad Fitzgerald and Becky Griffith how it is done.

The Student Organization For Developing Attitudes

This year SODA, as it is nicknamed, has worked with fifth and seventh graders in the area elementary schools to help them establish values of their own and aid them in making important decisions.

The SODA team members were chosen at the beginning of the year by Mr. Lee, SODA Director, because of their leadership and ability to work with others. Ten teams of two high school students visited the area elementary schools once a month. The elementary schools participating were Jeter-Watson, Edgemont, and Rivermont.

This is the third year SODA has been at CHS. It has proved to be very rewarding to the students in the area elementary schools. It has also proved very rewarding to the high school students participating in this program. They learn how to cope with children and the questions an problems that arise.

MEMBERS: C. Ford, K. Smith, J. Garcia, W. Meeks, D. Via, P. Harrison, K. Munsey, M. Smith, L. O'Rouke, J. Payne, R. Jessee, R. Mills, G. Kincaid, T. Green, N. Huffman, R. Holloway, D. Green, D. McCormick, P. Rigney, J. Matics, M. Swartz, R. Perkins, C. Groome, D. Martin, M. Drudy, T. Leet, M. Warren, R. Gibson, S. Harley, L. Martin, A. Hillmer, J. Neal, T. St.Clair, L. Garten, C. Maynard, W. Humphries, E. Grumblatt, S. Cambell, T. Downer, A. Gibson, R. Miller, J. Horton.

OFFICERS: M. Drudy, T. Downer, J. Payne.

Varsity Club

The Varsity Club, under the direction of Mr. Phil Douglas, consists of young men and women who have received a letter in a varsity sport.

Activities the club participated in were operating concession stands for home basketball games and the annual Varsity Club Dance.

The club concluded the year with an assembly honoring lettermen.

MEMBERS: W. Humphries, J. Neal, W. Payton, M. Huddleston, J. Payne, M. Smith, D. Rose, R. Garcia, Claudio, B. Fitzgerald, L. O'rouke, D. McCormick, A. Hillmer, W. Meeks, P. Rigney, R. Jessee, T. St.Clair, M. Warren, E. Grumblatt, J. Rimmer, D. Miller, J. Hubble, R. Honts, W. Kayser, H. Snead, P. Harrison, D. Walton, T. Leet, H. Myers, J. Green, N. Huffman, M. Mann, R. Shue, P. Crizer, K. Nicely.

OFFICERS: P. Harrison, Pres., J. Bell, V. Pres., R. Jessee, Sec., M. Drudy, Treas.

Boy's Jayteens

The Jayteens were hard at work again this year, in both school and community activities. Community projects sponsored by the boys included Light-A-Bulb, Christmas Kettle, Christmas Shopping Tour, Apple Butter Sales.

For their main money making project, the boys held a Battle of the Bands at Casey Field in August.

The Jayteens also sponsored competitive activities for the city youth, such as, Dribble and Shoot; Pitch, Hit, and Throw; and Punt, Pass and Kick.

During September at CHS the boys held a mock election in which students got to vote.

To end the year, about five boys attended the State Jayteen Convention in Charlotteville.

Third Year Active For Ms. Jayteens

The Ms. Jayteens proved this year to be very successful throughout the school and community. As their first activity they had a covered dish supper to welcome new members. The membership this year totaled 39.

The club chose selling donuts for their money making project. After that, they held parties at Thanksgiving and Christmas for needy children. Also at Christmas, the girls had their annual Hang-An-Ornament in the school cafeteria with the money going to the Christmas Mother.

The Ms. Jayteens helped in all the annual Jaycee projects which included Light-A-Bulb, Apple Butter Sales, and Radio Day.

The year ended with the girls attending the annual State Jayteen Convention at Virginia Beach.

MS. JAYTEENS OFFICERS . . . Michelle Burks, Sec.; Barbara Noel, V.-Pres.; Debbie Via, Pres.; Sally Crawford, Treas.

HANG-AN-ORNAMENT . . . Kathy Alfred, Susan Smith, and Debbie Via work on Christmas Tree.

MS. JAYTEENS . . . First Row: Debbie Via, , Kathy Burton, Michelle Burks, Susan Clatterbaugh, Randa Fenderson, Carrie McClaughlin, Sally Crawford, Joan Craghead, Barbara Noel, Lisa Hardy, Susan Smith. **Second Row:** Robin Abshire, Tammy Persinger, Kathy Haynes, Becky Griffith, Mary Hillmer, Susan Albert, Debbie Laudermilk, Missy Rimmer, Karen Abshire, Janie Curtin, Brenda Martin, Kathy Alfred. **Third Row:** Tammy Downer, Debbie Stewart, Mary Clutter, Kathy Arritt, Tina Reynolds, Debbie Meeks, Peggy Gallagher, Pam Rhodes, Angie Loan. **Fourth Row:** Kathy Davis, Kay Smith, Connie Maynard, Lisa Davis, Maxine Perkins.

OFFICERS . . . Susan Clatterbaugh, Vice-Pres.; Billy Leary, Pres.; Denise Johnson, Treasurer; Mike Switzer, Reporter; Tammy Tingler, Secretary.

Spanish Club Plans Mexico Trip

The Spanish Club under the direction of Mrs. Alicia Plott, proved very successful this year.

To start the year, the Spanish Club made many useful articles and sold them at the Clifton Forge Fall Festival. Next came the annual informal and formal initiation in which the new members dressed up and had a covered dish supper.

The major money making project was the Mardi Gras dance held in February. The band was from Roanoke and called themselves City Council. As tradition, a King and Queen were chosen by the Spanish Club. This year Dean Martin served as King and Susan Albert served as Queen.

The club held many candy sales throughout the year as a money making project.

To end the year, members of the Spanish Club went to Mexico. They spent eight days in Mexico City and four days in Acapulco.

SPANISH CLUB MEMBERS . . . J. Clark, R. Fenderson, P. Ford, D. Griffith, V. Hardy, P. Hill, D. Hughes, T. Jones, D. Laudermilk, S. McLaughlin, B. Milton, S. Nunley, T. Pyne, S. Downey, M. Sams, L. Sizemore, T. White, D. Worley, B. Albert, L. Casto, V. Davis, S. Jamison, L. Fawley, J. Hamilton, T. Highlander, M. Hillmer, S. Kelly, L. Lawson, L. Morgan, J. Phillips, R. Sweeney, R. Taylor, C. Tinger, K. Williams, S. Wood, V. Dilley, D. Ferris, D. Gum, S. Griffith, L. Jones, H. Snead, J. Waugh, F. Arritt, K. Holloway, M. Huffman, B. Kessinger, D. Martin, R. Rose, M. Drudy, L. Garten, S. Halsey, J. Hinton, R. Lemon, C. Maynard, S. Smith, L. Trumbo, S. Albert, K. Bess, P. Byer, K. Davis, B. Gibson, D. Johnson, J. Perry, L. Shepard, T. Tingler, J. Curtin, T. Downer, C. Ford, A. Loan, T. Plye, J. Matics, S. McDonald, C. McLaughlin, B. Robinson, V. Helper, J. Gilbert, S. Clatterbaugh, C. Kelley, K. Alfred, L. Hardy, S. Slayton, S. Crawford, M. Clutter, B. Noel, K. Arritt, K. Smith, D. Silbold, B. Griffith, R. Abshire, T. Wilson, T. Markham, S. Sargeant, K. Abshire, M. Rimmer, M. Huddleston, T. Goff, G. Lipscomb, R. Mills, A. Ratliff, J. Shawver, K. Smith, S. Griffith, B. Leary, D. Pence, D. Ryder, D. Spellman, J. Groome, M. Swartz, M. Switzer, M. Henderson, G. Kincaid, M. Tingler, L. O'Rourke, T. Leet, D. Miller, E. Grumblatt, P. Harrison, J. Garcia.

MARDI GRAS ROYALTY . . . Dean Martin and Susan Albert were crowned King and Queen at dance.

BEST DRESSED . . . Billy Leary and Susan Clatterbaugh were awarded best costume at dance.

LET'S BOOGIE . . . Students dance to the music at annual Mardi Gras Dance.

French Club

The French Club, under the direction of Mrs. Helen Harris, had another exciting year of activities. The club began its school year by electing new officers. Informal initiation of new members was held in October. The Prospective members were required to dress as French peasants and parade through a day at school. Later, as more of a test, they were required to eat several odd and distasteful foods.

As a money making project, the French Club held many candy sales throughout the school year.

At Christmas time, the club went caroling in the old French tradition.

OFFICERS: M. Hillmer, Pres., M. Warren, V. Pres., P. Warren, Sec., T. Moore, Treas., C. Phillips, Reporter.

MEMBERS: S. St.Clair, K. Jensen, M. Hillmer, M. Hillmer, P. Warren, D. Munsey, M. Weade, T. Persinger, W. Humphries, M. Campbell, J. Taylor, M. Ferris, M. Warren, J. Watts, G. Shepard, C. Mayo, J. Abbott, K. Munsey, B. Woodson, W. Broughman, E. Gurmblatt, C. Phillip, C. Plott, T. Moore.

ART CLUB MEMBERS . . . J. Garcia, C. Kelly, C. Ford, V. Davis, M. Smith, S. Wood, M. Sams, T. Pyne, L. St.Clair, C. Tingler, M. Griffith, P. Ford, L. Maynard, N. Austin, R. St.Clair.

Art Club Adds Colorful Touches to CHS

As a good starter for the 1975-76 school year, the Art Club, under the direction of Mr. Keyser, elected new officers. The club had approximately fifteen members.

March was designated as Youth Art Month, in accordance with which club members displayed posters throughout the school, held an exhibit, and purchased an art work which was donated to the school.

ART CLUB OFFICERS . . . Cheri Kelly, Pres.; Cathy Ford, V. Pres.; Jimmy Garcia, Treas.; Vicky Davis, Sec.

D.E. MEMBERS . . . W. Jackson, R. Boone, B. Cash, J. Crizer, B. Crowder, J. Stinespring, K. Gibson, W. Woodson, B. Whitehead, G. Wheeler, J. Plott, R. Weese, J. Rice, R. Honts, J. Hubble, M. Jenkins.

Distributive Education Club

The Distributive Education Club, sponsored by Leonard J. Rose, had approximately 30 members this year. This club is made up of students who are now working part-time or who plan to work in the future.

The club participated in several competitive meets, emphasizing leadership and business. Later in the year, the club sponsored an Employer-Employee Banquet, at which the students honored their employers and thanked them for providing training in their places of business.

OFFICERS . . . Barbara Noel, Pres.; Gary Whitehead, V. Pres.; Judy Crizer, Sec.-Treas.

D.E. BOY AND GIRL OF THE YEAR . . . Buddy Cash and Kathy Gibson.

MEMBERS . . . G. Jensen, S. Albert, L. Hardy, M. Switzer, L. Shepherd, J. Craghead, P. Byer, J. Groome, K. Davis, T. St. Clair, P. Byer, D. Rose, G. Jefferson, J. Perry, S. Griffith, J. Green, W. Humphries, K. Bess.

OFFICERS . . . Tim St. Clair, Reporter; Garland Jefferson, V.-Pres.; Gretchen Jensen, Treas.; Joan Craghead, Pres.; Patsy Byer, Sec.

Beta Club

This year's Beta Club started the year out by installation of new members at the Nov. meeting. During National Education Week, Nov. 17-21, the members baked cookies and gave them to the faculty.

December was a busy month. First they had Christmas party and then collected money at Salvation Army kettles. In January, they collected money for the March of Dimes.

As every year they collected and published school news for the local newspaper. To end the year they held their annual banquet at Reid's Grill.

STUDY, STUDY, AND MORE STUDY . . . Gretchen Jensen and Mike Switzer study.

FHA MEMBERS . . . P. Byer, L. Humphries, T. Crawford, J. Smith, J. Horton, E. Crawford, L. Chapman, R. Ray, H. May, C. Kelley, S. Halsey, L. Hazely, V. Tucker, S. Anderson, M. Withrow, K. Higgins.

Future Homemakers Of America

FHA was very active this year by placing emphasis on the Bicentennial with the theme of the year "Let Heritage Ring."

During the year the FHA sponsored many field trips of an educational nature. As their biggest event the girls were hostesses for all area FHA-HERO members for a joint meeting during Vocational Week, February 8-14.

Homemaking students completed their project for improvements for the school. This included purchasing furniture for the school office, donating trash cans for the Cafeteria, and refinishing furniture and making new drapes for the cottage.

OFFICERS . . . Lesia Chapman, Historian; Laura Humphries, Chaplain; Mollie Withrow, Parliamentarian; Cheri Kelley, Activities Chairman; Sue Halsey, President; Donnette Hunter, Reporter; Robin Ray, Treasurer; Velda Tucker, Secretary; Hazel May, Vice-President.

CLEAN UP TIME . . . Sue Halsey looks at trash can in cafeteria donated by FHA.

Forensics Team

The Forensic team under the direction of Mrs. Betty Littleton was very successful this year. The Blue Ridge District Meet was held at CHS in the fall. Covington placed second with four first place winners and three second place winners. First place winners included: Carmine Plott, Jere Shawver — Prose Reading; Wayne Humphries — Poetry Reading; and Derrick Miller — Extemporaneous Speaking. Susan Albert, Joe Green — Original Oratory; Kathy Bess — Extemporaneous Speaking captured second place.

After the Region III meet, one person from Covington, Jere Shawver — Prose Reading, advanced to the State but regretfully did not place.

The Forensic team proved very aggressive this year. Mrs. Littleton and CHS has a reason to be proud of their Forensic team.

DISTRICT WINNERS . . . Kathy Bess, Derrick Miller, Susan Clatterbough, Stanley Griffith, Jere Shawver, Carmine Plott, Susan Albert, Joe Green, Wayne Humphries.

FORENSICS MEMBERS . . . Jere Shawver, Susan Clatterbough, Kathy Bess, Susan Albert, Carmine Plott, Derrick Miller, Joe Green, Stanley Griffith, Wayne Humphries.

MEMBERS . . . T. Crawford, T. Green, E. Crawford, P. Byer, C. Wade, V. Helper, T. Persinger, C. Rock, L. Humphries, M. Rimmer, M. Burks, V. Mann.

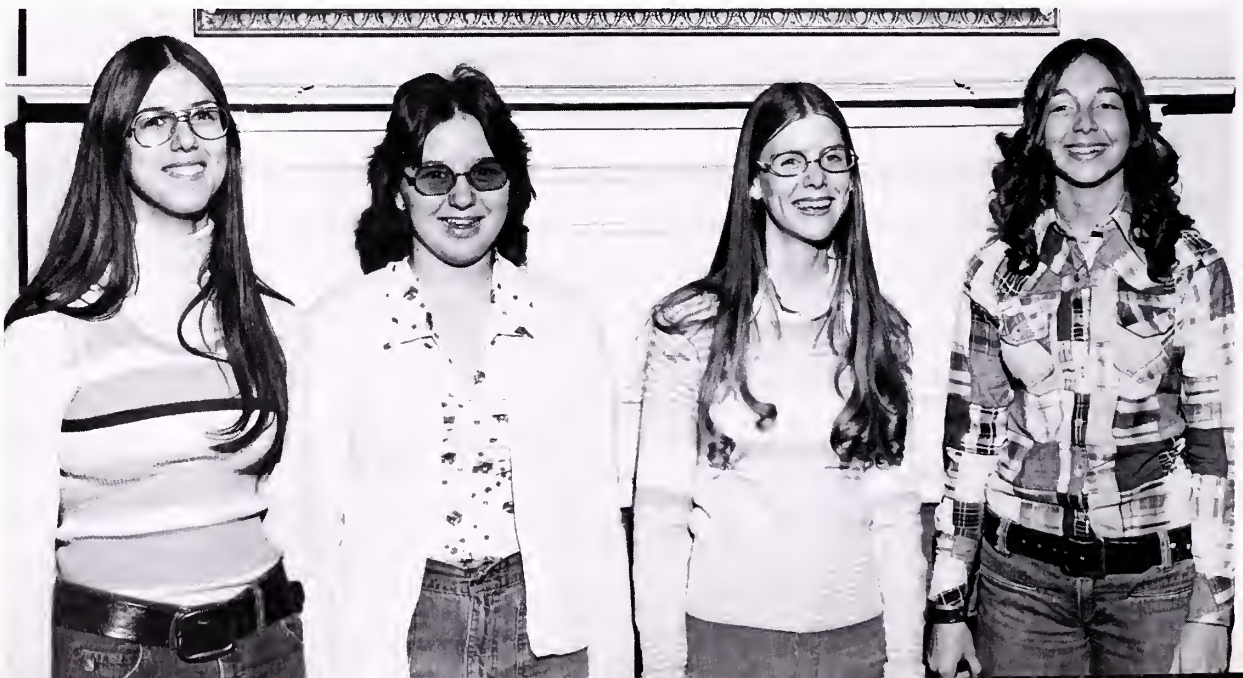
Future Business Leaders of America

FBLA, under the direction of Mrs. Sams, had about 20 members. To start the year off in September the club sold candy. For the March of Dimes the girls held a bike-a-thon. At their October meeting a guest speaker on business careers spoke.

In November, the club made fruit baskets for Mr. Martin. They also held a Thanksgiving Dance at the Moose for the benefit of the March of Dimes. For their Christmas project the girls made favors and sent them to the local hospital.

To end the year the girls elected new officers for the coming year and held their annual picnic.

OFFICERS . . . Tammy Crawford, Sec.; Patsy Byer, Treas.; Emmy Crawford, Pres.; Michelle Burks, Hist.



VOCAL II . . . Karen Abshire, D'ona Arthur, Joyce Brown, Donna Craft, Nancy Doyle, Peggy Gallagher, Jewel Hamilton, Donna Humphries, Kathy Johnson, Debbie Jergensen, Karen Kayser, Debra Laudermilk, Juanita Laws, Teresa Markham, Rebecca McCulley, Debbie Miller, Deanna Munsey, Tammy Pyle, Bonnie Robinson, Susan Slayton, Aurelia Smith, Robin Sweeney, Tammy White, Bonita Ridgeway, Debra Craft, Michael Allen, Todd Dillon, Sidney Hutchens, John Martin, Steve Pleasant, Greg Rice, James Smith, John Holloway.

CHS Choirs Singing To The Music

Music is an important part of life at CHS, and Vocals I and II made sure their voices were heard by all. The vocal classes were under the direction of Miss Sandra Nuckols and Mr. Steve Lawerence.

Throughout the year the choirs gave concerts which displayed their talents. At the Thanksgiving and Christmas assemblies, they sang seasonal songs in keeping with the holiday spirit.

All the practice to make the CHS choirs a success paid off as they gained popularity throughout the school and community.

DO-RE-MI . . . Miss Nuckols leads choirs in singing.

VOCAL I . . . Teresa Baker, Wanda Baker, Peggy Cook, Michelle Gavtier, Rhonda Goode, Linda Gurd, Vanessa Lewis, Laura Ray, Sheila Stinnett, David Bryant, Greg Hippert.

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OFFICERS . . . Melissa Cashwell, Constitutionalist; Rita Lemon, Paint-keeper; Sandi Sarjeant, Pres.; Carmine Plott, Sec.-Treas.; Connie Maynard, Pres.-elect.

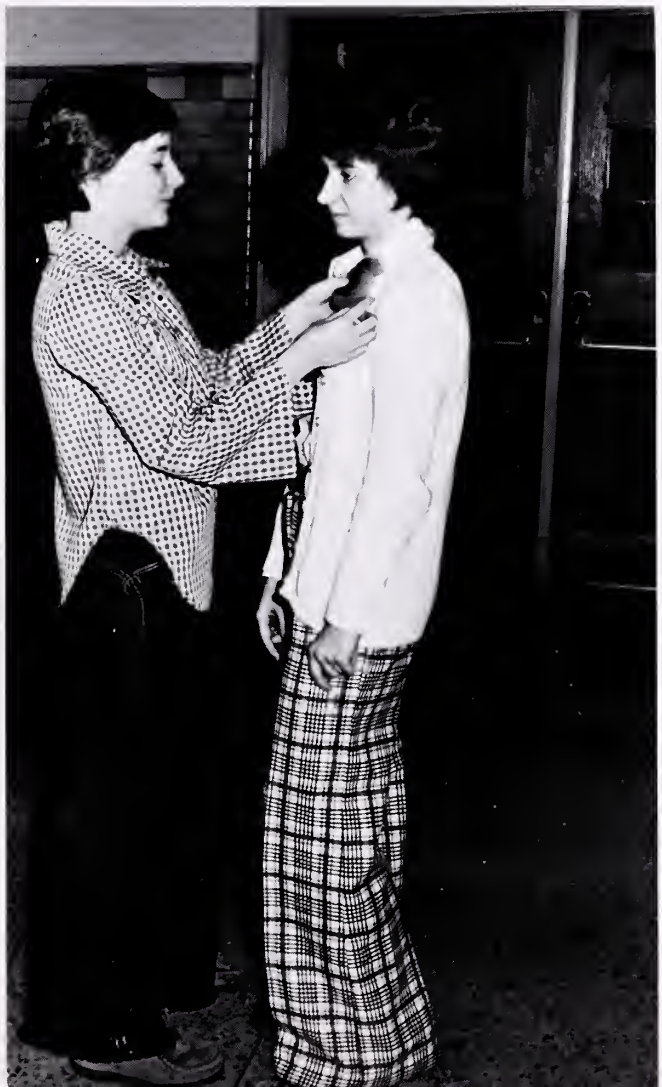
Pep Club Proves To Be Spirit Boosters

The Pep Club is formed to promote school spirit. To meet this goal, the Pep Club provided the Cougar Mascot for all football, basketball games, and wrestling matches. The members presented a victory cake to the football team and basketball team. At the end of the Girl's Basketball season, they gave the team a party.

The members sponsored "Voodoo" Mountie Day as a spirit boaster for the Little Brown Jug Game against Clifton. They provided programs for all home basketball games.

At the awards assembly in May, the Pep Club presented trophies to the most valuable players in each sport. As money making projects the club sold Cougars pins and published the Pep Sheet once a month.

MONEY MAKING PROJECT . . . Lisa St. Clair and Linda Gurd sell pins for Pep Club.



EDITOR . . . Tina Reynolds served as editor of Pep Sheet which came out monthly. It is a collection of the school news and gossip.

1975-76 Varsity Cheerleaders

VARSITY GOLD SQUAD CHEERLEADERS . . . First Row: Brenda Martin, Michelle Burks, Robin King, and Lola Ross. **Center (clockwise):** Mary Drudy, Kathy Davis, Joy Perry, and Lisa Heighter; Captain.

ONWARD COUGARS! . . . Brenda Martin does her pom-pom routine to the Cougar fight song.

FRIENDS AND LOVERS . . . Although A.C.H.S. and C.H.S. are rivals their is still time for friendship.

DOES ANYONE HAVE AN ASPIRIN? . . . Sponsoring cheerleaders brings on more headaches than enough, but Miss Eaton seems to take each one in stride.

For the first time in the history of CHS, there were two Varsity Cheerleading Squads. The first was the Blue Squad consisting of Tammy Tingler, Captain; Denise Megginson, and Randa Fenderson. The second was the Gold Squad. It included Lisa Heighter, Captain; Michelle Burks, Co-Captain; Joy Perry, Lola Ross, Robin King, Mary Drudy, Brenda Martin, and Kathy Davis. These squads proved to be very active this year. They took turns cheering at Football, and Basketball games, and wrestling matches.

Along with their regular duties as cheerleaders they also sponsored many fund-raising projects. Among these were bakesales, rummage sales, doughnut sales, and they also sold toboggans.

A cheerleader devotes most of her spare time to hard work and practice. In return she receives recognition and satisfaction in what she is doing. Many long hours were spent practicing during the summer and the girls also attended a four day camp at Madison College in Harrisonburg. After school, the halls echoed with chants and cheers and some time for laughter. All the hard work and time paid off and we had a squad of cheerleaders CHS could be proud of for a long time to come.

VARSITY BLUE SQUAD CHEERLEADERS . . . Denise Megginson and Tammy Tingler; Captain. (Randa Fenderson was absent when picture was taken.)

J.V. Cheerleading

1975-76 JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS . . . First Row: Lisa Chapman; Captain. **Second Row:** Loveda Morgan and Suzanne Wood; Co-Captain. **Third Row:** Carolyn Knighton, Vickie Davis, Teresa Pyne, Karen Kayser, and Daphne Hughes.

CAPTAIN — (Above left) Lisa Chapman

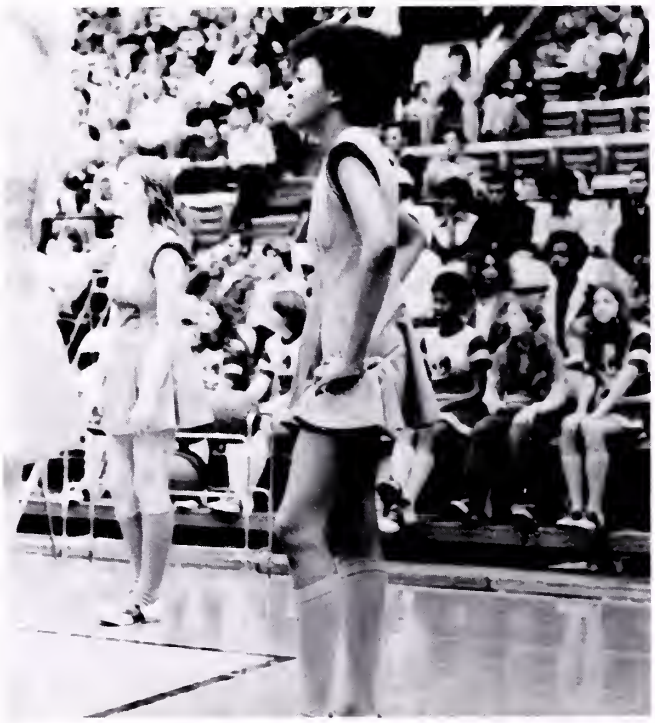
CO-CAPTAIN (Above Right) Suzanne Wood

This year, the Junior Varsity Squad worked hard to reach perfection in their cheering abilities. They cheered their teams to victories during football and basketball seasons.

One highlight of their year was being allowed to participate in a few pep rallies held in the gym and the auditorium. One important one in particular was the annual jug pep rally.

During the hot weeks of August, the squad practices everyday on cheers, chants and stunts. Each strives to be just a little bit better than the squad the year before. To a J.V. cheerleader, one of the most important goals in her high school life is to become a Varsity cheerleader. With this thought in mind, the girls don't mind the long, hot practices. In the long run, it pays off . . . most of the girls do have the chance to fulfill their goal.

Sponsored by Miss Cathy Eaton, the squad was handled very well. This year was Miss Eaton's first year at CHS and look what she got stuck with!! Three groups of cheerleaders!! Although sponsoring a group of energetic, rambunctious girls can bring a lot of headaches, over all, Miss Eaton sums up the year as a "terrific and great" year!!!



8th Grade Cheerleaders

F-I-G-H-T! . . . Donna Walton cheers on the "Baby Cougars".

During the 75-76 school year, the Eighth Grade cheerleaders added greatly to the spirit of the school. They were led by their Captain, Johnna Webb. Donna Walton assisted her as Co-Captain. Other members included, Trina May, Linda Gurd, Molly Withrow, Margaret Gibson, Denise Barber, and Beverly Tyree. Their sponsor was Miss Cathy Eaton.

The squad cheered at basketball games as well as football games. Overall, the girls inspired their teams to win over almost all of their opponents. This year, Covington High had an Eighth Grade squad to be proud of. We take this opportunity to welcome them as people and friends.

1975-76 8TH GRADE CHEERLEADERS . . . Front Row: Donna Walton; Co-Captain Trina May, and Linda Gurd. **Second Row:** Molly Withrow. **Third Row:** Margaret Gibson, Johnna Webb; Captain, Denise Barber. **Top Center:** Beverly Tyree.

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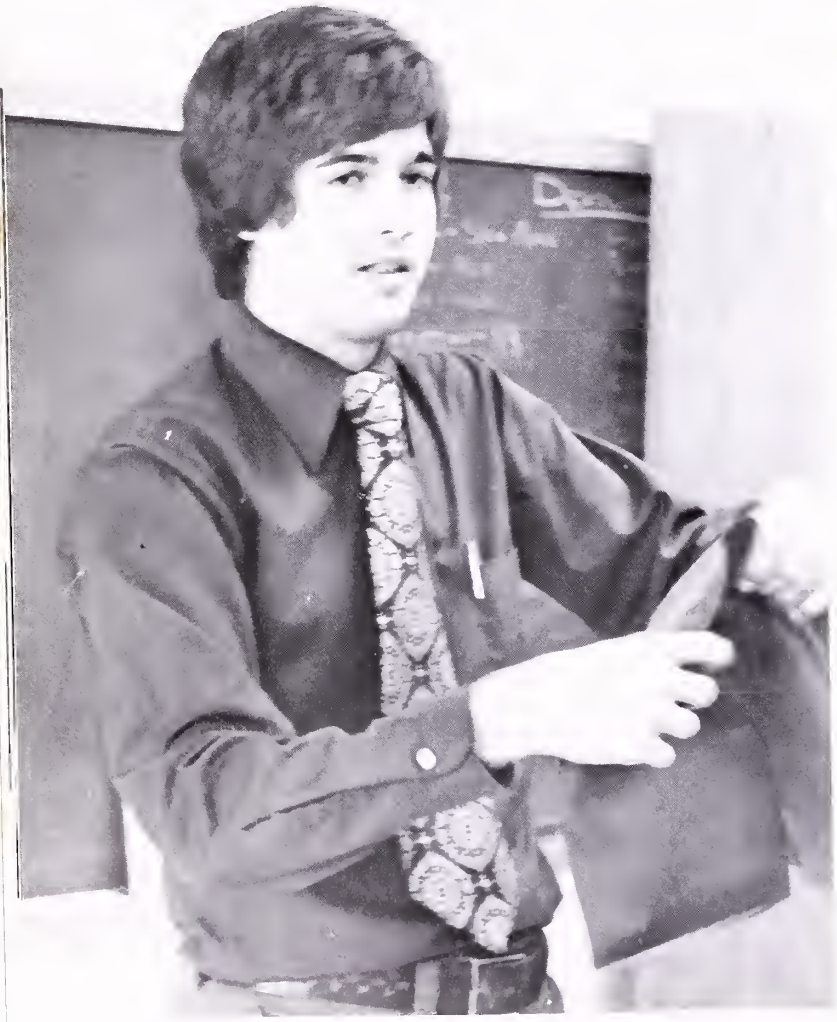

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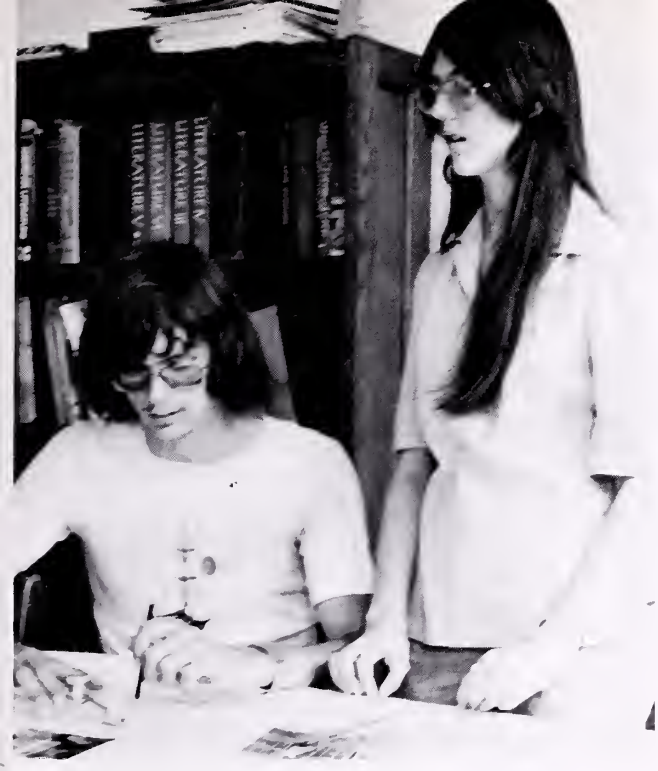

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Another year at CHS has come to a close — for some of us it is our **last** year. We now move on to other things. But always, in our hearts will live our memories of Covington High — its sorrows and disappointments along with its achievements and all around good times. But, no matter what, THE BEST IS YET TO COME!!

1976 DEDICATEE — Mrs. Whiteside seems to have recovered from her initial shock enough to receive her gift from Robin Abshire.

A dedicated teacher . . .

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1976 Dedicatee — Mrs. Jane Whiteside

As another year at CHS draws to a close, and the class of '76 is only a fond memory, the Puffs and Patches is almost a reality. Now we, as the staff must name a teacher who has earned enough of our respect to be named as a dedicatee.

This is a difficult decision for there are many who have contributed to our memories of CHS.

The person we chose this year is loved and admired by all the staff and student body as a whole. This person is always willing to help chaperone a dance, go to bat for students, give help out of class, and simply be a friend. She is one person who lives up to the title of "teacher." The only person in the 51 year history of **Puffs and Patches** to receive this honor twice, the 1976 Dedicatee is Mrs. Jane T. Whiteside.

Words cannot express the gratitude we as a staff feel toward Mrs. Whiteside. Through her leadership we produced many award-winning yearbooks. At this time, we'd just like to say, "Thank you, Mrs. Whiteside!"

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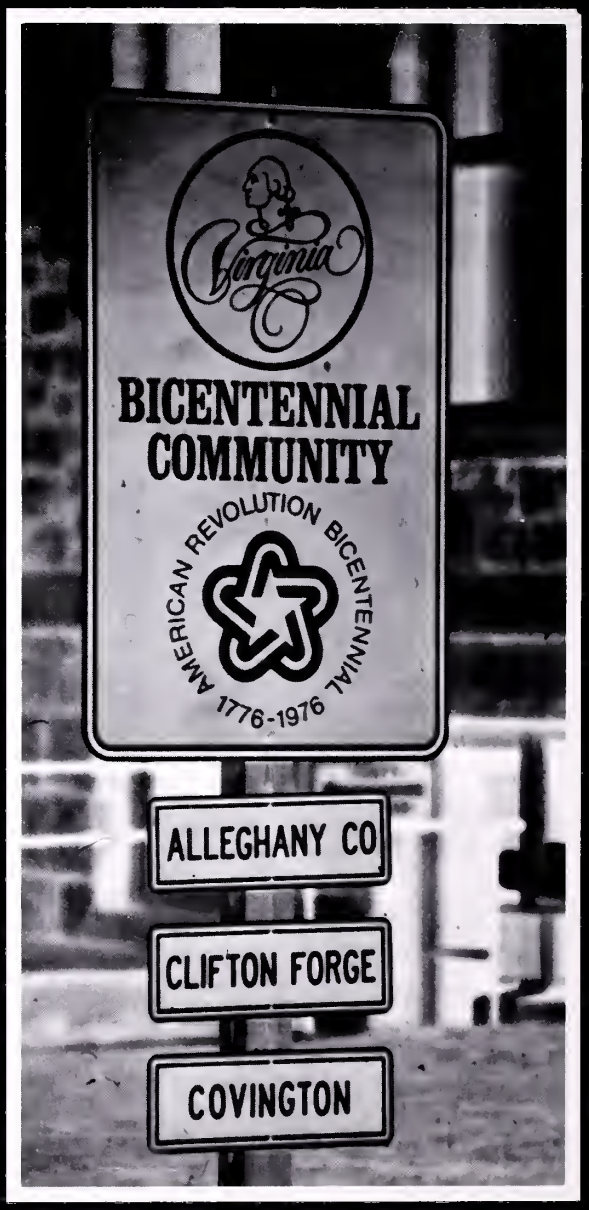
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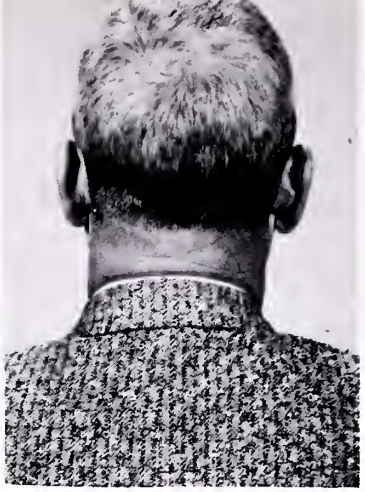

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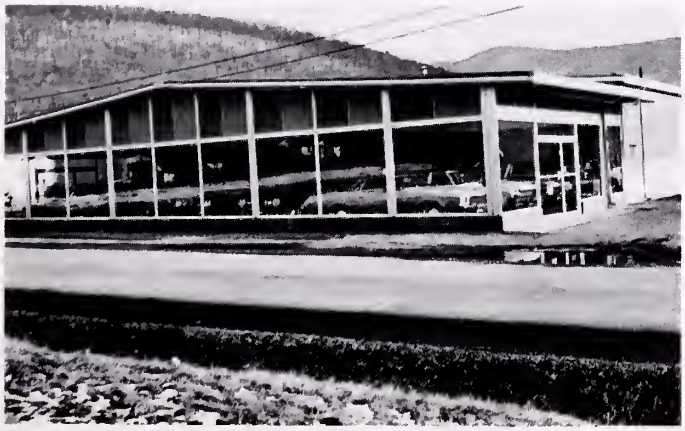

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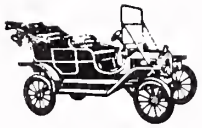

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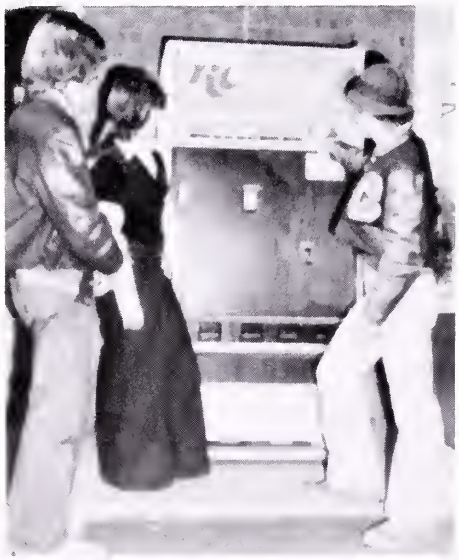

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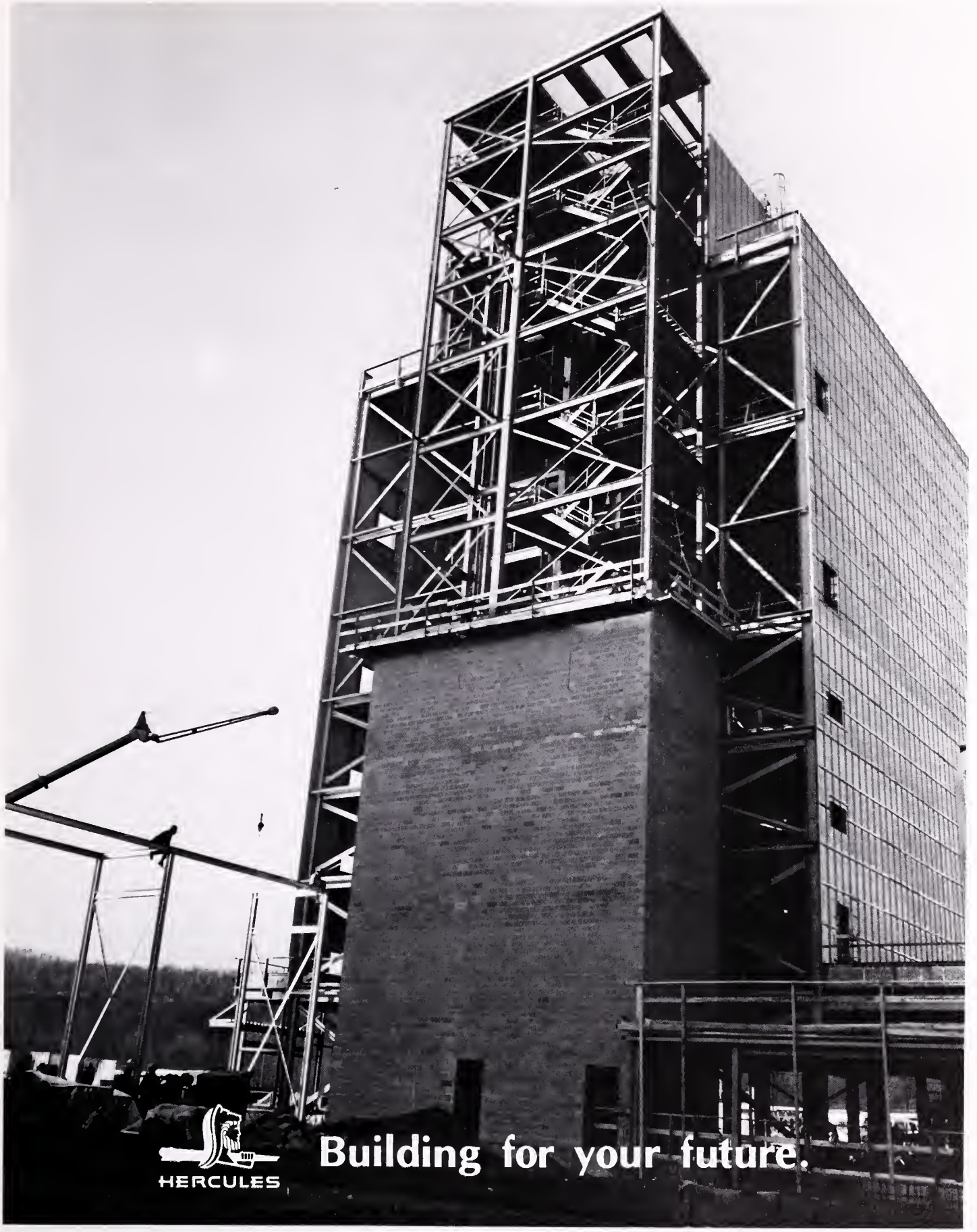
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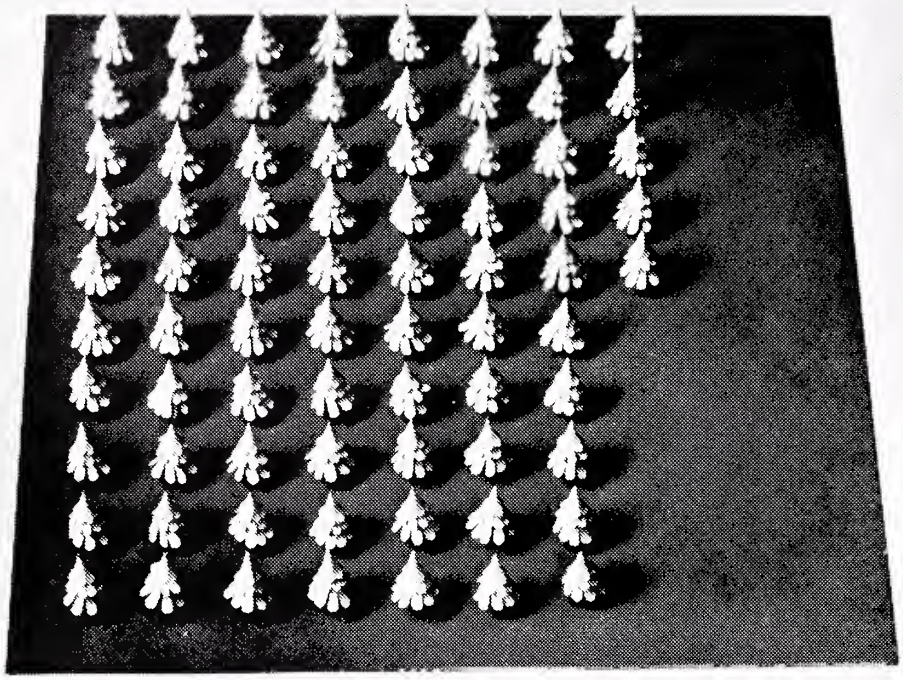

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